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Crown Lands Handbook on Indian Land Claims in Manitoba

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FORWARD

"The Crown Lands Handbook on Indian Land Claims" is a summary of Indian Land Claims in the Province of Manitoba.

It is intended to provide a quick reference on Manitoba's policy and the status of negotiations with respect to the settlement of treaty land entitlement, claims arising from the need to acquire Indian Reserve land for public works such as airstrip and road right-of-way, flooding claims where Reserve lands may be affected by Hydro Electric development, and a variety of other claims initiated by Indian Bands. In addition to the Provincial summary provided, information is broken down by individual bands.

The "handbook" is not a public document and has a limited circulation. It is meant to be used as an in-office reference by those involved in the Indian Land Claims area, either in an advisory or direct negotiating capacity. Because this document is not a substitute for the file information on record in Lands Branch, it is strongly recommended that where additional information or clarification of matters covered within is required, staff responsible for Indian Land Claims at Lands Branch be contacted directly.

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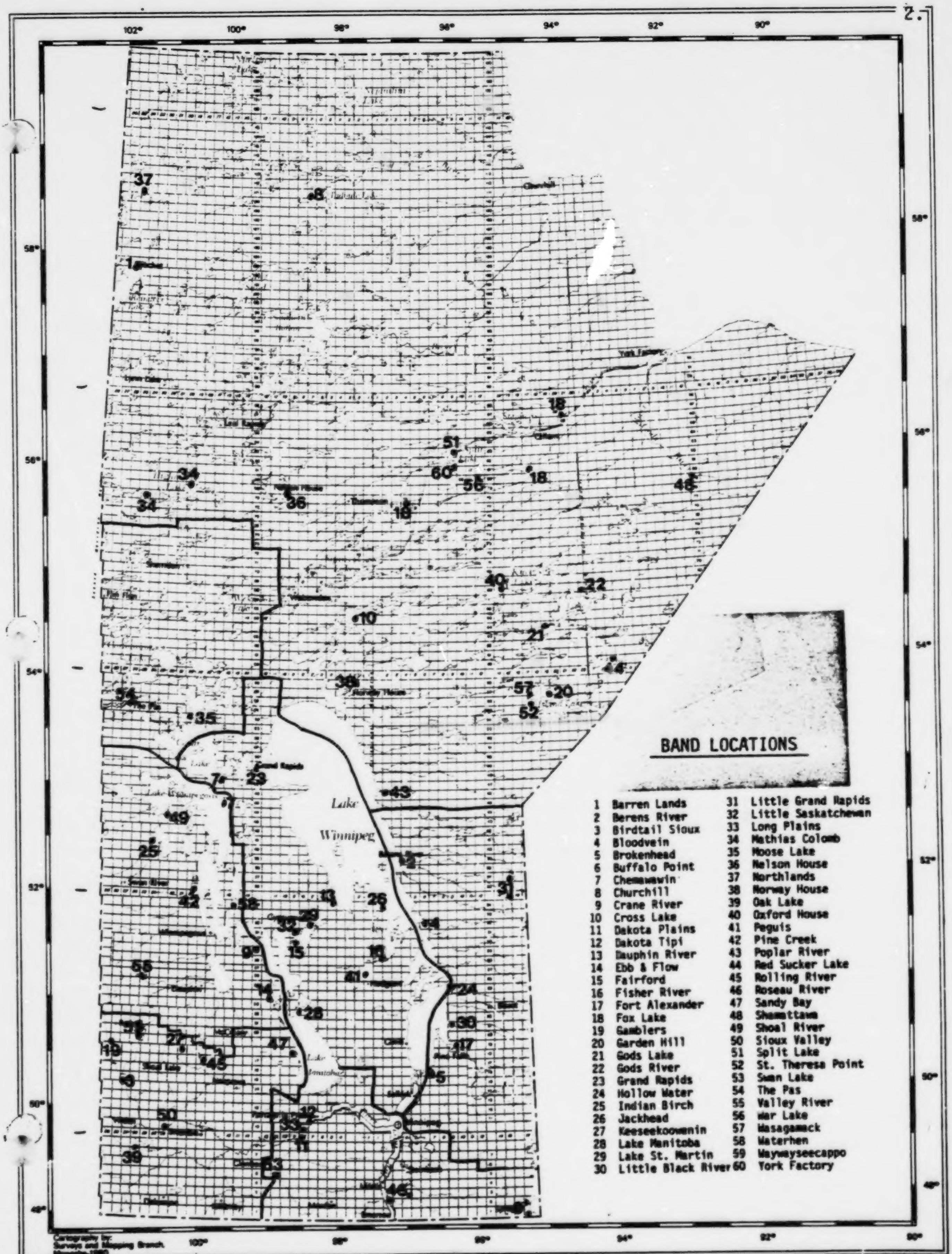
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Dakota Plans
Swan Lake
Birdtail Sioux
Sioux Valley
Sandy Bay
Oak Lake
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Dauphin River
Fisher River
Jackhead
Fairford
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4. SOUTHEAST RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

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Little Black River

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Waterhen
Rolling River
Crane River
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Northlands
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Fox Lake
Split Lake
War Lake
Gods Lake
Barren Lands
Shamattawa
Oxford House
Nelson House
Cross Lake
Gods River

7. ISLAND LAKE TRIBAL COUNCIL

Garden Hill
Red Sucker Lake
St. Theresa Point
Wasgamack

NON-PARTICIPATING BANDS: Fort Churchill, Fort Alexander, Norway House

TREATY LAND CLAIMS

The outstanding treaty entitlement of the Manitoba Bands can be calculated many different ways according to interpretation of the wording and intent of the treaties. The Manitoba Government recognizes an entitlement based on the original treaty settlement of 160 or 640 acres per family of five (as per applicable treaty) and using the Band population at the time of their first selection of Reserve lands.

MANITOBA FORMULA

Applicable Treaty (160/5 or 640/5)	X	Population (at time of first request)	—	Acreage Received	=	Outstanding Treaty Entitlement

This position has been officially endorsed by Cabinet, especially with regard to the Island Lake Band, in a Cabinet Paper approved in May, 1970 and confirmed by Cabinet as policy on September 20, 1978. (Further guidelines with respect to Provincial Policy on treaty entitlement and selection are shown on Page).

ENTITLEMENT CHIEFS' FORMULA

Applicable Treaty (160/5 or 640/5)	X	Current Population	—	Acreage Received	=	Outstanding Treaty Entitlement

(The Treaty Entitlement Bands subscribe to this formula with the only modification being that the current population figure is used in place of December 31, 1976, i.e. the "Saskatchewan Formula". (See Table A "outstanding treaty entitlement for applicable acreages).

This formula applies only to Bands who currently have an outstanding treaty entitlement. For those Bands who have received their full entitlement, there would not be any further treaty land claim.

As a result of additional historical land claims, the Department of Indian Affairs, Office of Native Claims has validated the claims of 23 Manitoba Bands and another 5 are under review.

In reviewing these positions, one should consider:

> That the Saskatchewan and Entitlement Chiefs' Formulas greatly increase the outstanding treaty entitlement for those Bands who presently have outstanding treaty claims while not providing any further treaty lands for the remaining Bands in the Province. This would appear inequitable to the Bands that settled early and thus are not eligible for additional treaty entitlement.

That the Manitoba position fixes the population number to that of the date when the Band first applied for the land entitlement.

That an acre of land is not a constant unit of value, but changes very substantially based on geographic location and time.

That the Sioux Bands are not eligible as they were not party to a treaty. These Bands came from the U.S.A. and therefore do not have any treaty rights in Manitoba. Reserves were set up for the Sioux using an unofficial guideline of 80 acres per family of five.

THE TREATY LAND ENTITLEMENT COMMISSION

The Commission was established in late September, 1982 to review and assess the basis for contemporary settlement of treaty land entitlement in Manitoba. Mr. Leon Mitchell, Q.C., a nationally recognized mediator and arbitrator in issues involving Indian rights, was appointed as Commissioner under the Manitoba Evidence Act.

The terms of reference of the Commission were:

1. To recommend to Provincial Cabinet the basis for a contemporary settlement that serves in a fair and equitable way the interests of all Manitobans.
2. To invite and register comment from individuals and organizations concerning alternatives which may be employed to extinguish treaty land entitlement.
3. To review past and existing policies and practices implemented in provincial jurisdictions in their endeavours to resolve treaty entitlement business.
4. To provide communication exchange with the public concerning these matters.
5. To hold public hearings, invite comments from selected interest groups and to provide the opportunity for Indian Bands to select their case for public record.
6. To complete a report which includes recommendations on the principles of settlement for Cabinet, within 3.5 months of the Commissioner's appointment.
7. To make available to any individual or organization, upon request photo-copies of written submissions which have been filed with the Commission.

8. To make the report available to the Public following Cabinet review.

9. To undertake its work through appointment by Order-in-Council as opposed to Part V of the Manitoba Evidence Act.

The Commission submitted a report to Cabinet entitled "The Report of the Treaty Land Entitlement Commission" dated January 18, 1983. The report was subsequently reviewed and has provided background for further resolution of treaty land entitlement in the Province.

Manitoba is currently involved in discussions with representatives of the Entitlement Bands and Canada aimed at reaching a comprehensive agreement for the settlement of Treaty land Entitlement in Manitoba.

This Agreement is to include: the formula for establishing quantum, the definition of categories of land to be selected; a means to re-acquire Reserve land for bona fide public purpose; provision to ensure for the rights of current users of Crown lands; policy for compensation for fixed improvements; and, policy for compensation to municipalities for revenue loss.

Until such time as comprehensive agreement on Treaty Land Entitlement is reached, the current nine (9) point policy guidelines of the Province remain in effect. These are as follows:

POLICY GUIDELINES OF THE PROVINCE OF MANITOBA COVERING INDIAN LAND ENTITLEMENT

1. The date for the selection of a population count on which to base acreage will be the date of first application (or survey) for land.

2. Treaty entitlement transfers shall include mines and minerals as in all part entitlement transfers in Manitoba, in accordance with Section 12 of the Manitoba Natural Resources (Transfer) Act.

3. Manitoba will not transfer lands that are clearly chosen for speculative purposes in respect of future public utility or public work projects such as highways, pipelines or transmissin lines.

4. As much as possible, claims should be taken in single blocks contiguous to existing Reserves. However, the geography of northern Manitoba will not always permit this, requiring exceptions to provide land that can be of some use to the Bands. Sizes for settlement purposes will normally be smaller in size and will be chosen having regard for such factors as drinking water supply, access, hydro availability or building sites.

5. The Province will not transfer land within 99 feet of ordinary high water of navigable rivers and lakes; however, leases will be made available to Bands for the use of these areas

without Manitoba or its agencies assuming liabiity for flood or other damages.

6. The Province will not transfer lakes or rivers or the beds of same to Indian Reserves.
7. The Province will not pay for access roads to new Reserve lands.
8. The Province will not transfer land to Canada for designation as Indian Reserves if such a transfer will work to the detriment of other residents of the area.
9. In all instances of land transfer, the rights and needs of Manitoba society and in general, the public interest of Manitoba shall be an overriding consideration in the negotiations.

AIRSTRIPS

Northern Affairs has constructed numerous airstrips in northern communities to provide improved transportation services to Northern Manitoba. These airstrips are frequently located on Reserve land in order to be close to settlements. This handbook contains information relative to land exchanges which arise from airstrip construction.

FLOOD-RELATED LAND CLAIMS

A number of Bands have been affected by provincial water control programs such as Hydro developments or projects for agricultural purposes. These claims have mostly been settled on the basis of land exchange, in addition to other disturbance and relocation benefits.

There are three major flooding agreements still in progress in Manitoba:

- the Grand Rapids Forebay Letters of Intent, 1962.
- the Fairford River Water Control Works, 1974.
- the Northern Flood Agreement, 1977.

This handbook provides current information regarding the land claims involved in these flood settlements.

EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

Land exchanges initiated by Bands occur most frequently to accommodate a split-off group of Band members residing in a different geographic location away from the established Reserve. Bands and groups of Band members have also requested alternative Reserve lands which offer greater economic and/or residential advantages.

OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT - FOR BOTH VALIDATED AND UNVALIDATED BANDS.

BAND	TREATY NO.	ACREAGE PER PERSON	POPULATION AT DATE OF 1ST SURVEY	ENTITLEMENT	ACREAGE RECEIVED	ACREAGE OF OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT ACCORDING TO: MANITOBA	SASKATCHEWAN	ENTITLEMENT CHIEFS FORMULA
Barren Lands	10	128	163	20,864	11,866.9	8,997.1	76,325.1	80,667.1
Berens River (Poplar River & Little Grand Rapids)	5	32	439	14,048	16,602	NIL	NIL	NIL
Bird Tail Sioux	Sioux	N/A	N/A	N/A	7,176	NIL	NIL	NIL
Bloodvein	5	32	83	2,656	3,885	NIL	NIL	NIL
Brokenhead	1	32	425	13,600	12,989.9	610.1	3,714.1	5,730.1
Buffalo Point	3	128	43	5,504	5,839.2	NIL	NIL	NIL
Chemawawin	5	32	95	3,040	3,456.86	NIL	NIL	NIL
Churchill	5	32	384	12,288	524	11,764	12,052	12,596
Crane River	2	32	204	6,528	8,755.2	NIL	NIL	NIL
Cross Lake	5	32	280	8,963.0	8,536.6	423		Under Review
Dakota Plains	Sioux	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,300	NIL	NIL	NIL
Dakota Tipi	Sioux	N/A	N/A	N/A	39.5	NIL	NIL	NIL
Ebb and Flow	2	32	81	2,592	11,550	NIL	NIL	NIL
Fairford	2	32	277	8,864	11,553	NIL	NIL	NIL
Fort Alexander	1	32	394	12,608	14,083.9	796	66,492.1	76,412.1
Fox Lake	5	32	201	4,480	4,299.71	2,132.29	6,036.29	7,188.29
Gamblers (Valley River & Wayayseecappo)	4	128	300	38,400	44,160	—	2,826	3,520
God's Lake (God's River)	5	32	308	9,856	9,832	24	31,129	35,960
Grand Rapids	5	32	135	4,320	4,651	NIL	NIL	NIL
Hollow Water	5	32	83	2,656	4,020.1	NIL	NIL	NIL
Island Lake (Garden Hill, Red Sucker Lake, Wassagomach, & St. Theresa Point)	5	32	655	20,768	18,084	2,876	99,196	121,532
Jackhead	5	32	72	2,304	3,326.28	NIL	NIL	NIL
Keeseekoowenin	2	32	161	5,152	5,600	NIL	NIL	NIL
Lake Manitoba	2	32	218	6,976	9,427	NIL	NIL	NIL
Lake St. Martin	2	32	77	2,464	7,149.5	NIL	NIL	NIL
Little Black River	5	32	51	1,632	2,130	NIL	NIL	NIL
Little Saskatchewan (Dauphin River)	2	32	100	3,200	5,944.09	NIL	NIL	NIL
Long Plains	1	32	219	7,008	10,925**	1,846.16	27,126.17	31,286.16
Mathias Colomb	6	128	339	43,392	23,265	20,127	124,319	151,071
Moose Lake	5	32	122	3,904	4,002	NIL	NIL	NIL
Nelson House	5	32	456	14,016	14,452	140	45,356	55,468
Northlands*	10	128	N/A	—	1,147.2	—	—	—
Norway House (Fisher River)	5	32	794	25,408	35,204.26	6,755.5	56,803.5	67,791.5
Oak Lake	Sioux	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,720	NIL	NIL	NIL
Oxford House	5	32	377	12,064	12,049	15	20,655	25,647
Peguis	1	32	1,493	47,776	50,644.18	—	29,419.82	38,699.82
Pine Creek	4	128	86	11,008	16,901.27	NIL	NIL	NIL
Rolling River	4	128	111	14,208	13,906	288	31,278	37,920
Roseau River	1	32	446	14,272	12,955.2	1,316.8	16,612.8	18,564.8
Sandy Bay	1	32	188	6,016	16,495**	NIL	NIL	NIL
Shamattawa	5	32	436	13,952	5,722	8,230	11,750	14,310
Shoal River	4	128	195	24,960	5,374	—	76,930	60,433.6
Sioux Valley	Sioux	N/A	N/A	N/A	9,695	NIL	NIL	NIL
Split Lake	5	32	326	10,432	11,333	NIL	NIL	NIL
Swan Lake	1	32	201	6,432	10,400**	1,321.47	12,169.47	13,577.47
The Pas	5	32	511	16,352	13,989.63	—	27,002.37	32,922.37
Waterhen	2	32	120	3,840	4,653.89	NIL	NIL	NIL
York Factory	5	32	344	11,008	NIL	11,008	13,184	14,208
					TOTALS:	87,667.52	790,375.71	985,338.81

* Entitlement is calculated in conjuction and included with the Barren Lands Band.

** Includes Band's portion of 25 square miles ceded to the Portage Band over and above Treaty Entitlement.

Treaty Land Entitlement Requests

Band	Number of Sites/ Acreage Selected	Legal Survey	Transferred by Provincial O/C	Accepted by Federal P/C
Barren Lands	1 - 5.8	X		
Mathias Colomb	1 - 3,765	X		
Nelson House	1 - 6	X		
Shamattawa	8 - 8,100			
Wasagamack	1 - 6			
York Factory	11 - 13,599	(1) X	(1) X	

AIRSTRIPS				
BAND	AIRSTRIP ACREAGE ON RESERVE	POTENTIAL ACREAGE ENTITLEMENT	EXCHANGE LANDS IDENTIFIED BY BCR	COMMENT
Berens River	63.24	126.48	X	Lands at Stewart Point too low.
Bloodvein	232.70	465.40	X	Band to comment on options presented by Province.
Mathias Colomb (Pukatawagan)	130.00	220.00	X	Exchange lands tentatively identified at Pawistik.
Oxford House	231.00			Lease type agreement is being considered for the use of Reserve lands required for airstrip.
Poplar River	47.00	94.00		Band still not in agreement with airstrip location.

FLOODING CLAIMS

FAIRFORD WATER CONTROL WORKS

BAND	ACREAGE SETTLEMENT	AREA	TRANSFERRED BY PROVINCIAL O/C	ACCEPTED BY FEDERAL PC
Fairford	6,712	South and adjacent to existing Reserve.	X	
Lake St. Martin	1,735.6	Northwest and adjacent to existing reserve.	X	X
Little Saskatchewan	1,605	To the northwest of existing reserve.	X	

GRAND RAPDIS FOREBAY

Basic settlement of 2:1 surface, 1:1 minerals.

BAND	FLOODED	EXCHANGE AREA	AREA	ACREAGE	TRANSFERRED BY PROVINCIAL O/C	ACCEPTED FEDERAL PC
Chemawawin	5,784	11,568	Chemawawin	29.34	X	X
			Easterville	566.19	X	X
			Denbeigh Pt.	11,057.18	X	
Moose Lake	2,828	5,656	Crossing Bay	2,703	X	X
			Little Limestone	1,388	X	X
			William Lake	469.1	X	
			William River	510		
			Crossing Bay	95		
			Unidentified	497		
The Pas (Bignell)	320	640	Area adjacent to 21E	655	X	X

NORTHERN FLOOD AGREEMENT

BAND	ACREAGE ENTITLEMENT	ARTICLE 3 SELECTED SITES - ACREAGE	ARTICLE 4 SELECTED SITES - ACREAGE
Cross Lake	15,580	29 - 31,422	2 - 500,000
Nelson House	13,040	35 - 13,720	2 - 1,196,800
Norway House	12,563	24 - 12,626	4 - 1,024,000
Split Lake	6,231	24 - 6,570	1 - 1,280,000
York Factory	1,156	7 - 1,474	3 - 2,448,640
Totals	48,570	119 - 65,812	12 - 6,449,440

EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

BAND	ACREAGE TO BE EXCHANGED	ACREAGE REQUESTED	TRANSFERRED BY PROVINCIAL O/C	ACCEPTED BY FEDERAL P/C
God's River	344.18	344.18	X	
Little Grand Rapids	643.6	643.6	X	

MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS

BAND	ACREAGE INVOLVED	COMMENT
Bloodvein	36.81	Metis housing exchange.
Dakota Tipi	57	Purchase of Parish Lot 24.
Jackhead	351	Alleged flood damage.
Pine Creek	.23	Road right-of-way.
The Pas	126.18	Road exchanges.
Waterhen	66.95	P.R. #276 & Salt Point Road Exchange.

BARREN LANDS

RESERVE:	#197 Brochet
CHIEF:	Don McCallum
POPULATION:	395 Total *
ON-RESERVE:	281
OFF-RESERVE:	114
RESERVE AREA:	10,720 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

The Band has requested that transfer of Lot 1, Group 621 in exchange for the transfer of three parcels of land to Manitoba for the Community of Brochet.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #10 entitling it to 640 acres per family of five. The Reserve was first surveyed in 1929 when the Band population was 163. This entitled the Band to 20,684 acres of land.

In 1978, this Band officially separated into two Bands: the Barren Lands Band and the Northlands Band. Part of the terms of separation was that the Barren Lands Band would retain full control of the existing Reserve at Brochet (10,719.7 acres), and the Northlands Band would be entitled to the remaining recognized outstanding treaty entitlement of 10,144.13 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #197 Brochet..............................10,719.7 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1976-946 dated April 27/76.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

20,864 - 10,719.7 = 10,144.3

(Waived by the present Barren Lands Band, to be claimed by the Northlands Band)

4) REMARKS

In 1949, 32 Indians joined the Barren Lands Band which may entitle the Band to 4,096 acres more. In a Cabinet meeting in May, 1975 it was decided to proceed on the basis of the 1929 population of calculating outstanding entitlement until further notice.

* Population figures are based on December, 1986 data.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Lot 1, Group 621 at Brochet comprising 5.8 acres.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

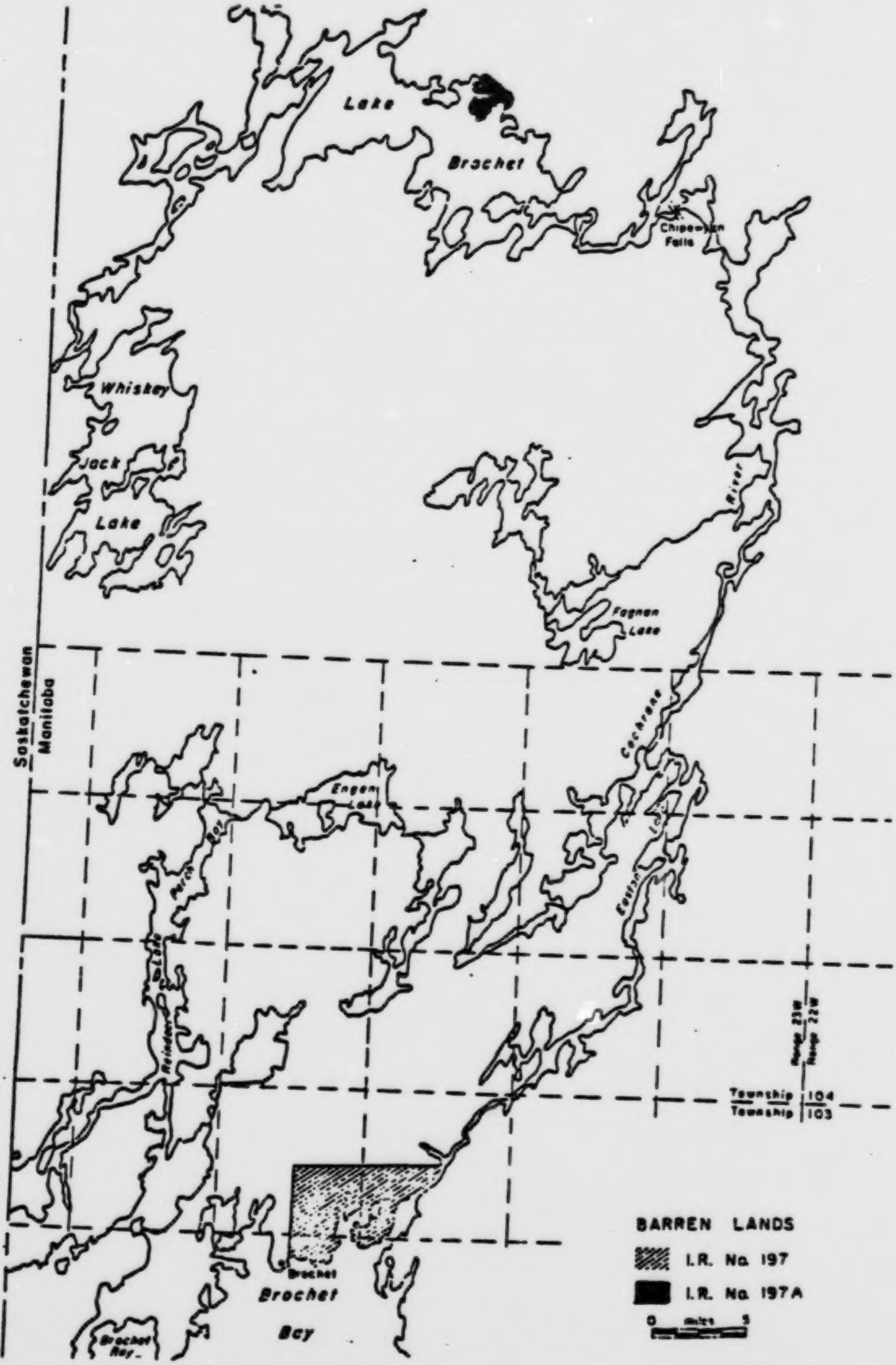
No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

(See Miscellaneous)

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

A March 12, 1984 Brochet Community Resolution requested Lot 4, Plan NLTO as their administration building is presently located on this Indian Reserve property. By Resolution 79-84, dated July 9, 1984, Brochet also requested Lots 1 and 2, Plan 5612 NLTO for a new housing subdivision (6 acres). By BCR dated November 13, 1984, the Barren Lands Band requested Lot 1 Group 621, CLSR 37679 to upgrade an existing causeway (approximately 5.8 acres). A BCR dated March 12, 1985 supported the transfer of Lot and both Lots 1 and 2 requested by Brochet, provided that the Band receives Lot 1, Group 621. Finalization of the transfers are pending, awaiting the survey and legal description to complete the transfer of Lot 1, Group 621 to Canada.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BERENS RIVER

RESERVE: #13 Berens River
#13A Pigeon River
CHIEF: Lester Everett
POPULATION 1,197 Total
ON-RESERVE: 858
OFF-RESERVE: 339
RESERVE AREA: 6,908 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

AIRSTRIP: Northern Affairs built an airstrip, 63.24 acres of which is on Reserve land. The Band agreed to a 2 for 1 land exchange for the airstrip. Negotiations on the proposed land exchange are inactive at present.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 entitling it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the signing and the first survey of its Reserves (1878), the Band included people from Little Grand Rapids and Poplar River, for a total population of 439. For the purposes of treaty entitlement, the 3 present day Bands (Berens River, Little Grand Rapids and Poplar River) can be treated as one entity, which is entitled to:

439 X 160/5 = 14,048 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #13 Berens River .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1930 - 1027 dated May 15/30.	6,350 acres
Reserve #13A Pigeon River................................ Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-77 dated April 30/30.	852 acres
Reserve #16 Poplar River .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1754 dated August 5/30.	3,800 acres
Reserve #14 Little Grand Rapids .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-428 dated February 25/30	5,600 acres
TOTAL	16,602 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

14,048 - 16,602 = NIL

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

Northern Affairs has constructed an airstrip on 63.24 acres of Reserve lands and by BCR dated October 17, 1983, the Band agreed to surrender the required lands on a 2 for 1 basis. Northern Affairs agreed to this exchange ratio with no mention of mineral rights. The survey of the airstrip has been registered as Plan #10842 WLTO.

In 1977, Northern Affairs offered to recommend that the exchange include 2 for 1 mineral rights as well as surface rights. Mines Branch has not approved a 2 for 1 exchange of minerals and Mineral Resources Division recommends that exchanges of Crown lands for Reserve lands required for public works be exclusive of mineral rights.

By BCR dated September 29, 1976, the Band identified an exchange area (126.48 acres) at Stewart Point, adjacent to the northwestern boundary of the Reserve.

The proposed exchange lands are within the Lake Winnipeg Water Power Reserve. The area is low, about 722' in elevation. Using a severance line setback, the resulting proposed addition would be confined to a narrow strip of higher land adjacent to existing northern Reserve countour. The Province may request that the Band opt for a lease arrangement in lieu of a land exchange.

The Department of Highways would like to choose another means of compensation; however, the land designated at Stewart Point should not be disposed of without consultation with the Band.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

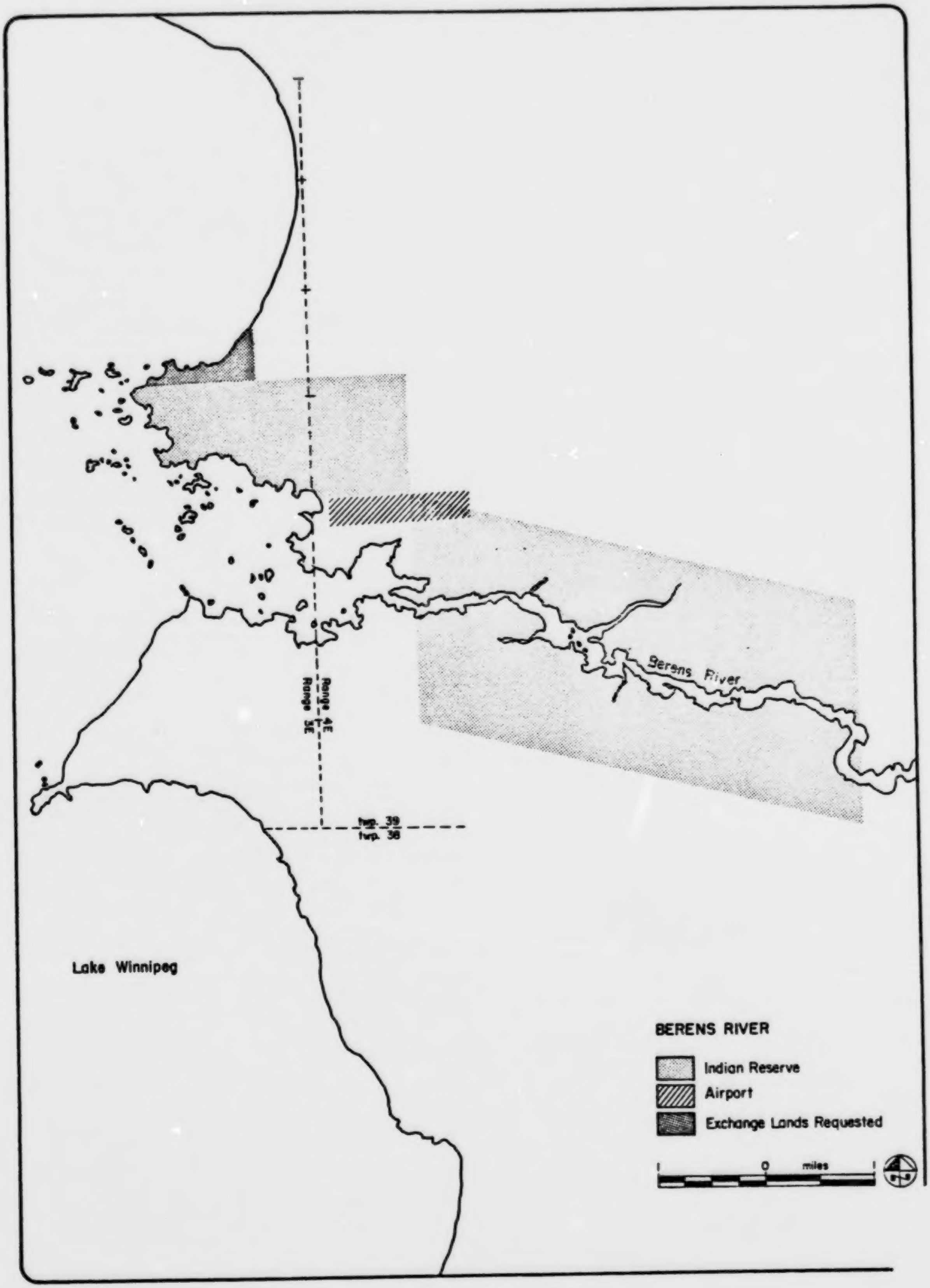
No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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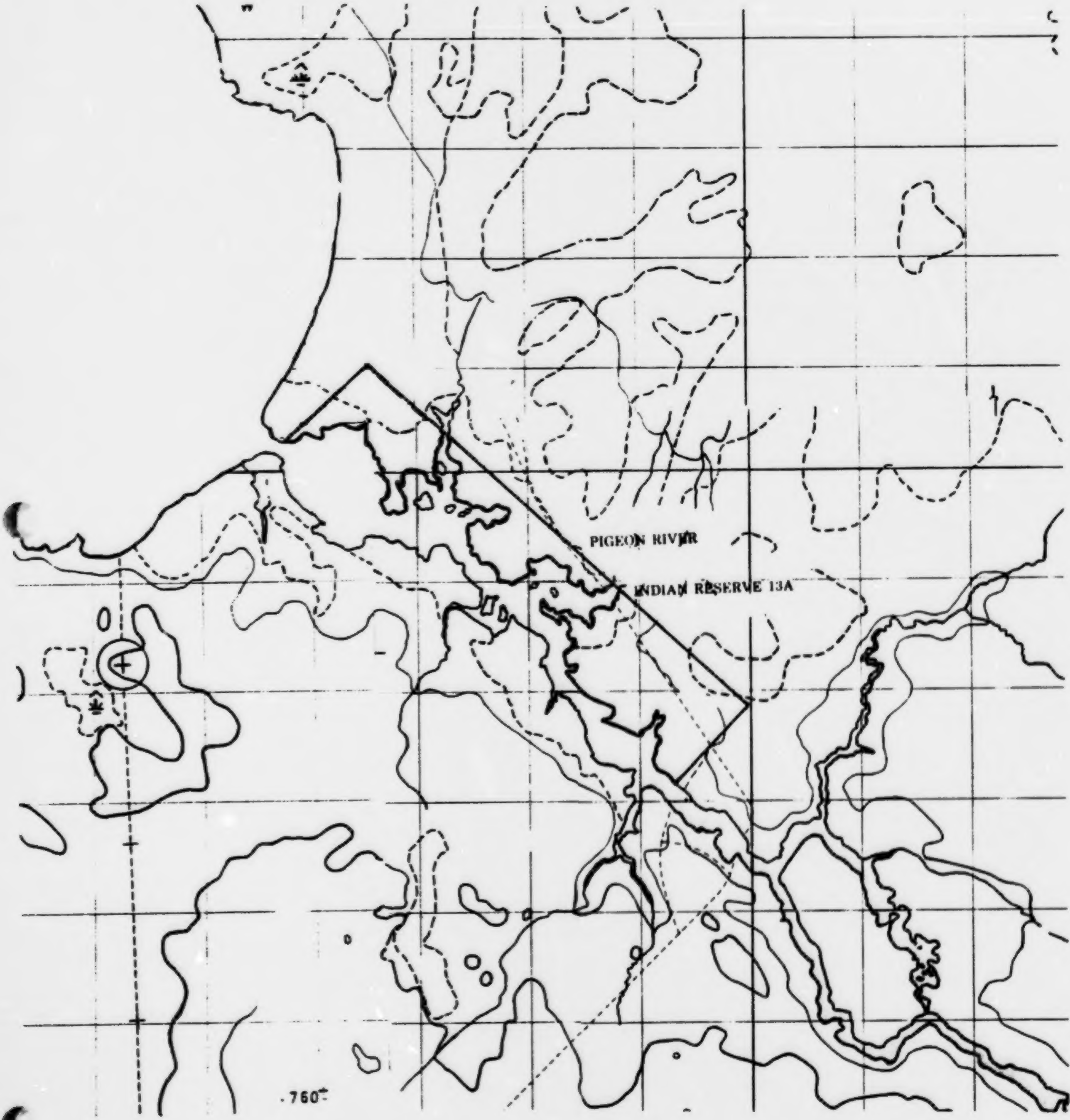
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BIRDTAIL SIOUX

RESERVES: #57 Birdtail Creek
#57A Birdtail Haylands
#62A Fishing Station
CHIEF: Nelson Bunn
POPULATION: 308 Total
ON-RESERVE: 231
OFF-RESERVE: 77
RESERVE AREA: 7,130 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current negotiations or requests.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band is a Sioux Band which migrated to Canada from the United States and therefore has no aboriginal rights to Manitoba lands. The Band did not sign any treaty.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #57 Birdtail Creek .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1889-1151 dated May 17/89.	6,880 acres
Reserve #57A Birdtail Haylands .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1938-877 dated April 25/38.	296 acres
TOTAL	7,176 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

Nil.

4) REMARKS

The Birdtail Sioux and other Sioux Bands were granted the use of Reserve #62A as a fishing station.
Reserve #62A Fishing Station ....74 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1894-3221 dated October 30/94.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

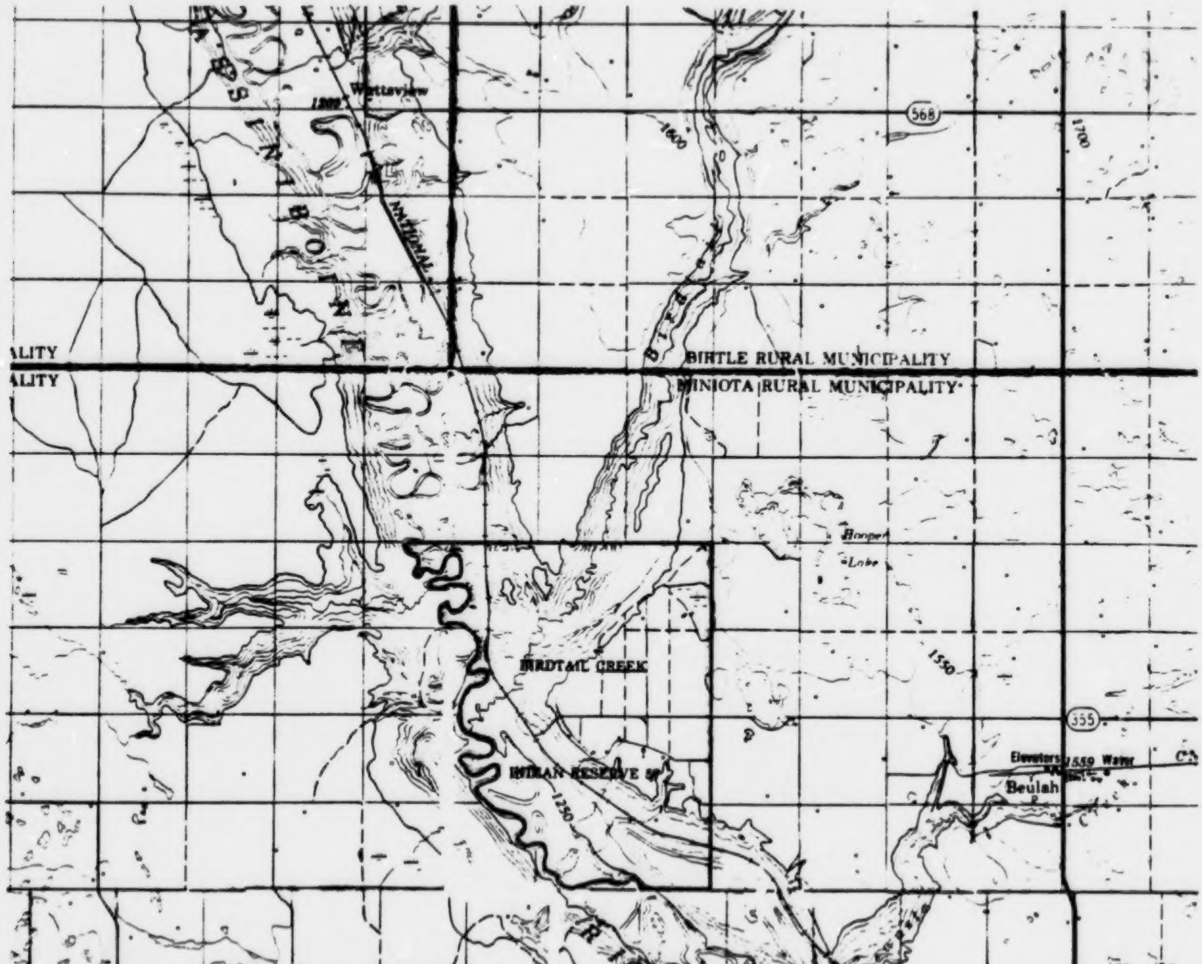
III. AIRSTRIPS: No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS: No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND: No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS: No other land problems to date.

BIRDTAIL SIOUX INDIAN RESERVE #57 BIRDTAIL CREEK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BLOODVEIN

RESERVE: #12 Bloodvein
CHIEF: Frank Young
POPULATION: 629
ON-RESERVE: 490
OFF-RESERVE: 139
RESERVE AREA: 3,885 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

NON-TREATY HOUSING: The Band has allowed 36.81 acres of its Reserve to be utilized to facilitate non-treaty housing in the community. The exchange lands for this area, at a 1:1 ratio, were originally combined with the proposed addition to the Reserve for the airstrip exchange at a 2:1 ratio; however, the Band wishes to treat these exchanges as separate issues.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 entitling it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1884 the Band's population was 83. This entitled the Band to 2,656 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #12 Bloodvein .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1923-117 dated June 27/23.	3,298.7 acres
Addition to #12 .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1920-561 dated March 16/20.	248.8 acres
Addition to #12 (for Loon Straits Indian Reserve) .. Confirmed by OC/PC 1933-801 dated April 29/33.	206.6 acres
Addition to #12 (for Loon Straits Indian Reserve).... Confirmed by OC/PC 1976-407 dated February 26/76.	130.9 acres
TOTAL	3,885.0 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

2,656 - 3,885 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

In 1918 the Bloodvein, Hollow Water and Jackhead Bands surrendered their collective interest in the Loon Straits Indian Reserve #11 (1,135 acres) in exchange for an equal acreage to be proportionately added to the three existing Reserves. The Bloodvein Band received 337.5 acres from this exchange in two parcels confirmed in 1933 and 1976. The remaining compensation went to the Jackhead and Hollow Water Bands.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED: Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

Northern Affairs has constructed an airstrip at Bloodvein on 232.71 acres of Reserve land (including the access road). By BCR dated July 8, 1975, the Band agreed to surrender the lands required for the airstrip in a land exchange based on 2 for 1 surface rights and 1 for 1 minerals rights. Cabinet approval-in-principle for this exchange was received in August, 1975.

By BCR dated September 17, 1976, the Band identified exchange lands (456.18 acres) to the southeast of and adjacent to the existing Reserve along the Bloodvein River. The proposed addition includes exchange lands for the non-treaty housing. In 1978 the Band identified the minerals under the half of the proposed Reserve nearest the existing reserve.

The airstrip and proposed exchange lands have been surveyed. The airstrip plan is registered as No. 14438 WLTO with registration of the exchange lands plan held pending the inclusion of a severance line.

The proposed exchange lands lie within the Lake Winnipeg Water Power Reserve and may be partly below 220.1 meters. Manitoba Hydro and Water Resources objected to any withdrawal of lands from the Power Reserve without adequate protection against flooding claims. As a result of a water elevation study, Water Resources has defined a setback elevation of 219.5 meters throughout the selection area surveyed south and adjacent to Indian Reserve No. 12. The Band was reviewing three options regarding land exchange.

VI. FLOODING CLAIMS: No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND: NON-TREATY HOUSING

An area of 36.81 acres situated within the boundaries of the existing Bloodvein Reserve has been surveyed for a Non-Treaty Housing subdivision.

By BCR dated December 23, 1974, the Band agreed to an acre for acre land exchange to accommodate the subdivision. This exchange and the airstrip exchange were approved-in-principle by Cabinet in August, 1975.

In 1980 the Band was presented with three options regarding the proposed airstrip and non-treaty housing land exchange. In all three options the Province would reserve the right to re-acquire lands for public purposes. Where land above 219.5 meters is within 99' of the water's edge, the statutory 99' reservation under the Crown Lands Act will apply.

The original agreement concerning the airstrip and non-treaty housing land exchange agreed upon a 1 for 1 exchange of mineral rights and in May, 1976 Ministerial consent was verbally given for a 2 for 1 exchange of mineral rights where small acreages (250 acres) were involved, subject to Cabinet endorsement. However, Mines Branch does not concur with any exchange of mineral rights on a greater than 1 for 1 basis. Mineral Resources Division recommends that exchanges of Crown lands for Reserve lands required for public purposes be exclusive of mineral rights.

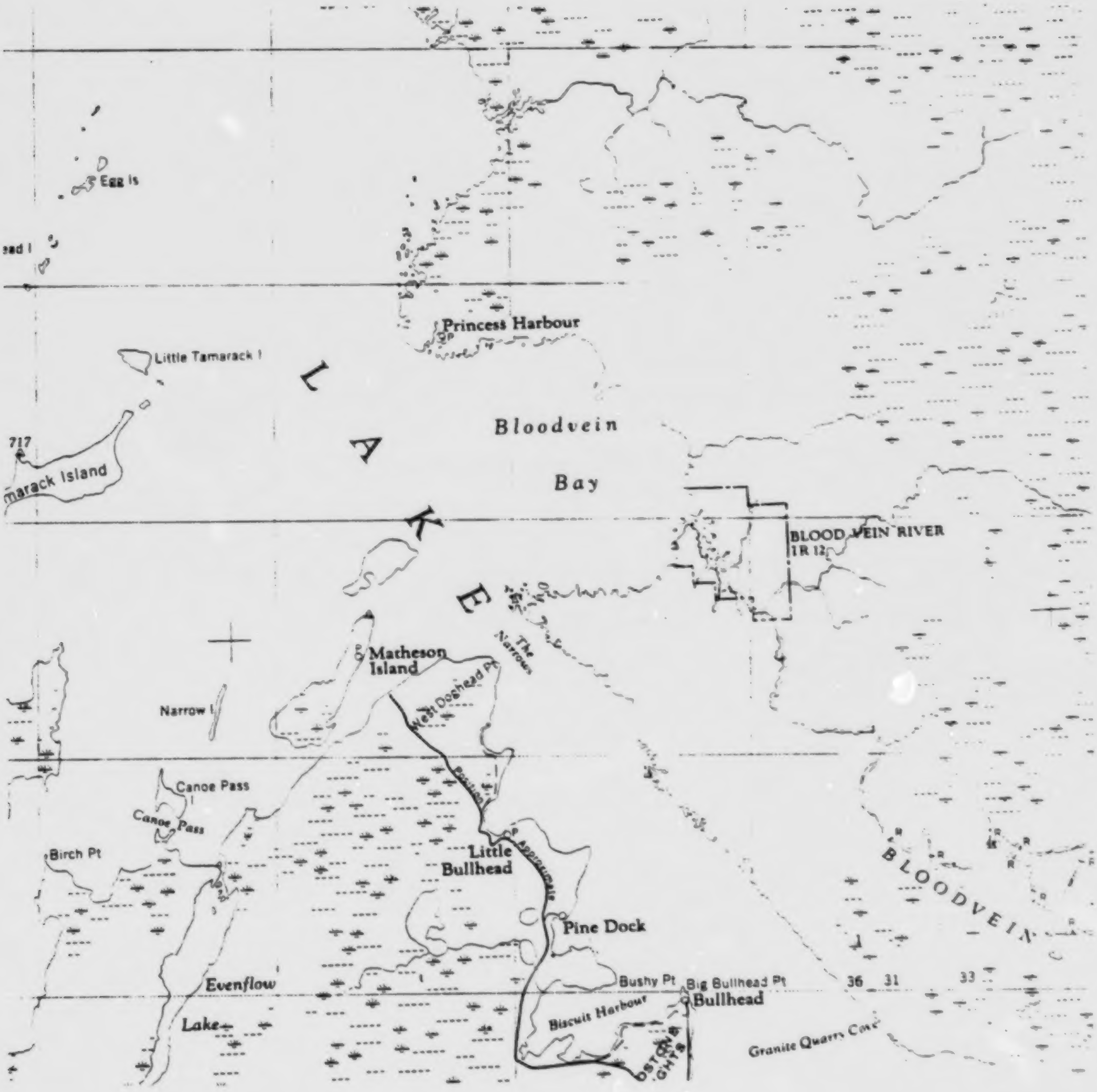
In a May 21, 1985 letter, Chief Harry Cook advised Lands Branch that the Band wished to move ahead with the airstrip land exchange only, stating a concern regarding the possibility that residents now living in non-treaty housing would seek enfranchisement and wish to live on the reserve.

At present Indian Land CLaims is only negotiating the exchange resulting from the requirement of reserve lands for an airstrip. The housing subdivision land exchange will be treated as a separate issue, pending the Band's advice in this regard.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

BLOODVEIN INDIAN RESERVE #12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BROKENHEAD

RESERVE:	#4 Brokenhead
CHIEF:	Jim Bear
POPULATION:	721 Total
ON-RESERVE:	223
OFF-RESERVE:	498
RESERVE AREA:	13,375

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current negotiations or requests.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #1 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve (1874/76), the Band population was 452. This entitled the Band to 14,464 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #4 Brokenhead ....(13,854)....12,990 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1916-289 dated February 15/16.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

14,464 - 12,990 = 1,474 acres (610)

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band has made no request to date for the fulfilment of its treaty entitlement.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

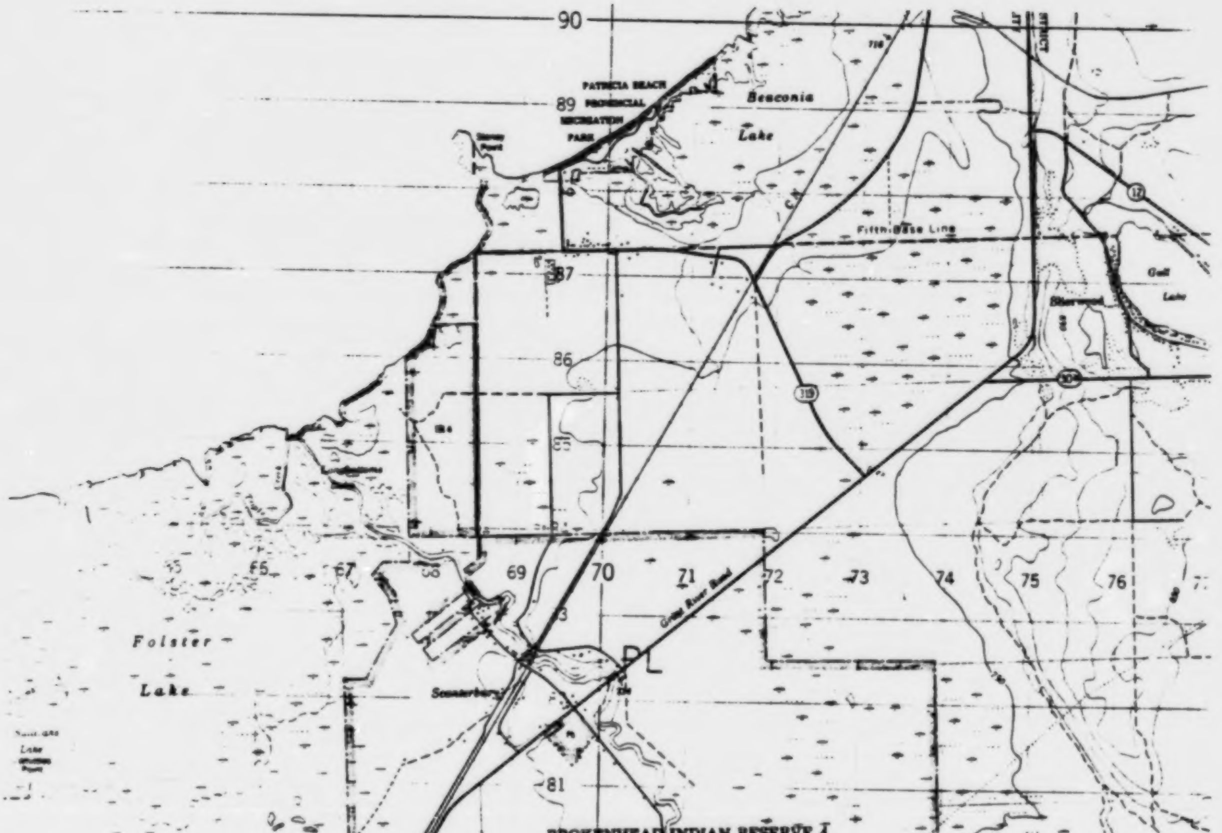
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

Reason for acrege discrepancy: Band has claimed a reduction in acreage received due to lands settled prior to survey.

BROKENHEAD INDIAN RESERVE #4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BUFFALO POINT

RESERVE: #36 Buffalo Point
#36A Red River
CHIEF: James Thunder
POPULATION: 44 Total
ON-RESERVE: 28
OFF-RESERVE: 16
RESERVE AREA: 7,422 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

No current negotiations or requests.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #3 which entitled it to 5,504 based on an 1881 population of 43.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #36 Buffalo Point ....4,160 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1746 dated August 3/30.

Reserve #36A Reed River ....1,679.2 acres
Lands held under CT #455366 dated June 30/31.
TOTAL 5,839.2 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND.

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

1) ROAD ACCESS TO BUFFALO POINT

Road access to this Reserve has been constructed using privately arranged financing. The Province entered into an easement agreement authorizing the road over Crown land, and further agreed that at such time as the road or any part of the access road is required by the Province as a public road, the Province would then negotiate with the Band relative to a possible cost-sharing arrangement on road construction and/or maintenance costs.

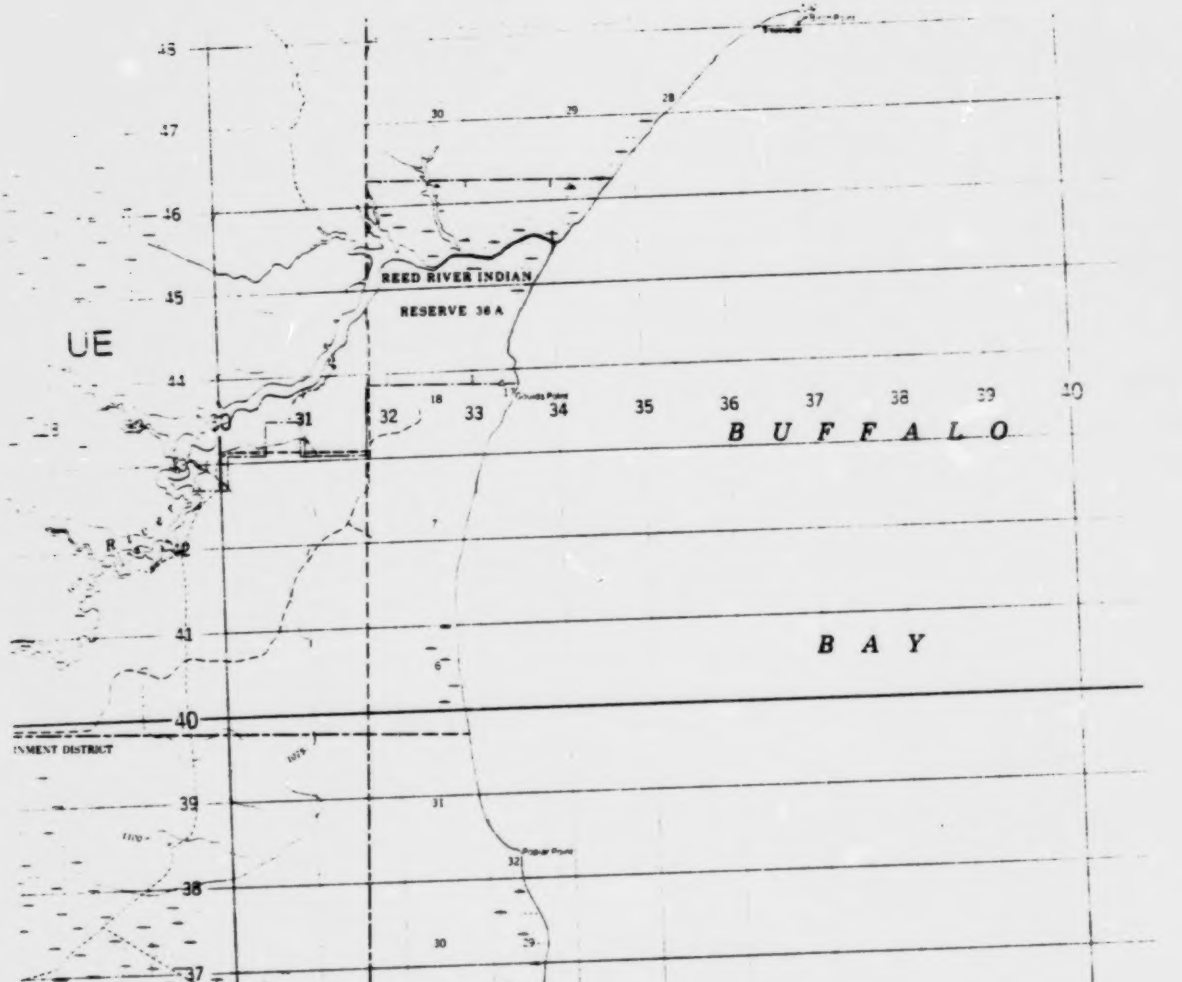
2) ROAD ALLOWANCES IN REED RIVER

The government road allowances located within the boundaries of the Reserve were not transferred to Canada because the legal description was by sections and legal subdivisions rather than as a single block. Therefore the road allowances were excluded from transfer. The road allowances were closed by Ministerial Order in 1978 and by O/C #921 dated September 30, 1981, 46.5 acres of closed road allowances were transferred to Canada for the Band thereby providing the Band with a block of land. This land has not, as yet, been confirmed as Reserve by Canada.

3) TRANSFER OF RESERVATIONS

Both the 1,679.2 acres (transferred by O/C 1858/31) and the road allowances within that parcel (transferred by O/C 1858/31) were transferred to Canada for the use and benefit of the Buffalo Point Indian Band subject to reservations. By O/C #986, dated August 28/85, reservations under "The Crown Lands Act" and "The Provincial Lands Act" were transferred to Canada for the use and benefit of the Buffalo Point Indian Band. This Order covers all reservations in, upon or under the transferred land including mines and minerals. Upon receipt of the Privy Council Reciprocal Order, Crown Grants will be issued under the Crown Lands Act covering the Provincial Lands Act reservations in, upon or under the Federal Certificate of Title #4555366 and the Crown Lands Act reservations in, upon or under closed road allowances.

BUFFALO POINT INDIAN RESERVE #36A REED RIVER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CHEMAWAWIN

RESERVE: #1 & #2 Chemawawin
CHIEF: Sam Gordon George
POPULATION: 557 Total
ON-RESERVE: 418
OFF-RESERVE: 139
RESERVE AREA: 615.53 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

FLOODING CLAIMS: This Band is entitled to 11,567.32 acres of land under the terms of the Grand Rapids Forebay Agreement. The Band has received 615.53 acres at Easterville and Old Chemawawin and 11,057 acres at Denbeigh Point, the latter of which has not yet been confirmed as Reserve by Canada.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 entitling it to 3,040 acres based on an 1883 population of five.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #32A Chemawawin	1,331 acres
Reserve #32B Chemawawin	463.5 acres
Reserve #32C Chemawawin	190.2 acres
Reserve #32D Chemawawin	1,025.88 acres
All Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-75 dated April 30/30.	
Reserve #32F Poplar Point	80.28 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1178 dated May 30/30.	
TOTAL	3,456.86 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

3,040 - 3,457 = Nil

4) REMARKS

Poplar Point #32F was surrendered for #32G, Chemawawin #32G: 2,080.0 acres OC/PC 1947-225 dated January 21/47.

New Reserves:	Reserve #1 Chemawawin (Old Post)	29.34 acres
	Reserve #2 Chemawawin (Easterville)	586.19 acres
Both confirmed by OC/PC 1979/2131 dated August 9, 1979.	TOTAL	615.53 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

In 1962 the Band agreed to compensation for flooding according to the terms offered in a letter from S. W. Schortinghuis, Chairman of the Grand Rapids Forebay Committee, dated June 7, 1962. The land settlement was based on a 2 for 1 exchange of surface rights, and acre for acre of mineral rights.

By BCR dated September 17, 1975, the Band identified three areas of selection which were surveyed as: 29.34 acres of Old Chemawawin Indian Reserve Block "A" (two islands); 39.94 acres at the junction of PR #327 and PTH #6; and 586.19 acres at Easterville. By BCR dated October 7, 1977, the Band agreed to accept the minerals under these lands.

The area at the Old Chemawawin Indian Reserve #32A not subject to flooding was to be retained by the Band. For expediency, the whole Reserve was surrendered, and by Order-in-Council #818378 dated August 30, 1978, the "Old Post" (29.34 acres) was transferred to Canada for reinstatement as Reserve. By Order-in-Council #819/78 dated August 30, 1978, 586.19 acres at Easterville was transferred to Canada for Reserve status. Both Reserves were confirmed by OC/PC 1979/2131 dated August 9, 1979.

By O/C 803 dated July 3, 1985, 11,057 acres of land at Denbeigh Point was transferred to Canada for the Chemawawin Band. The transferred land included parcels A, B, C, D, & E, Plan 77565 NLTO, Townships 45 & 46, Range 16 & 17 WPM. This consists of 5,391.99 acres of surface and mineral rights on Parcels A, B, D, and a southerly portion of Parcel E. Parcel F on this plan is presently held on a 21 year lease (expiring in 2004) by William Bilinduke for the purpose of a fish packing station. Upon the termination of this lease, the 58.02 acres of both surface and mineral rights will transfer to Canada for the Chemawawin Band.

As access to Parcel F lies within Parcel E, a right of access agreement is being finalized to provide an idemnity for Canada after which recommendation will be made by Canada to have Denbeigh Point set aside as Reserve. The province is currently revising O/C #803 in order to ensure third party liability over use of the access road to the fish station leasehold is provided for.

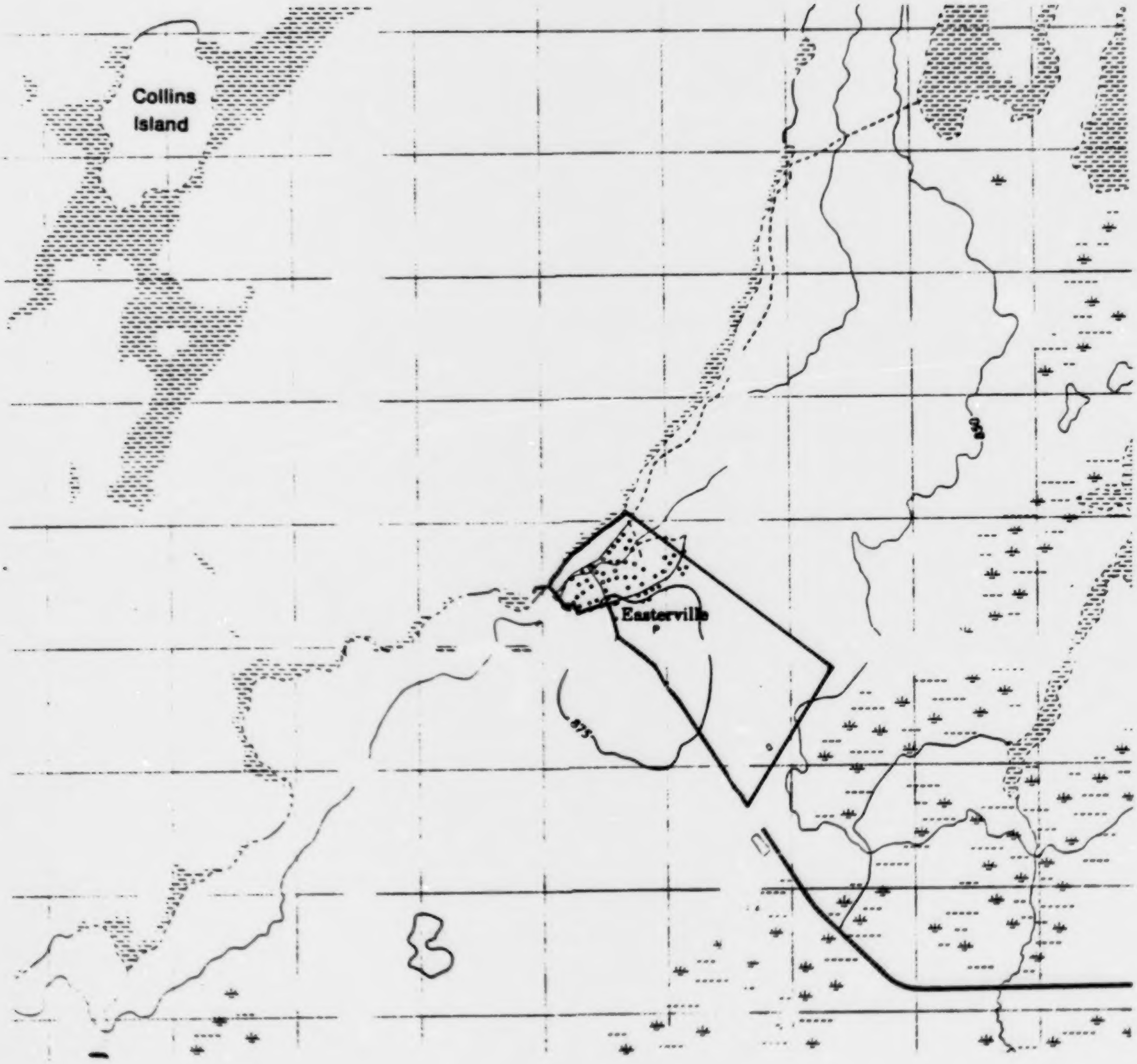
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

CHEMAWAWIN I.R. #2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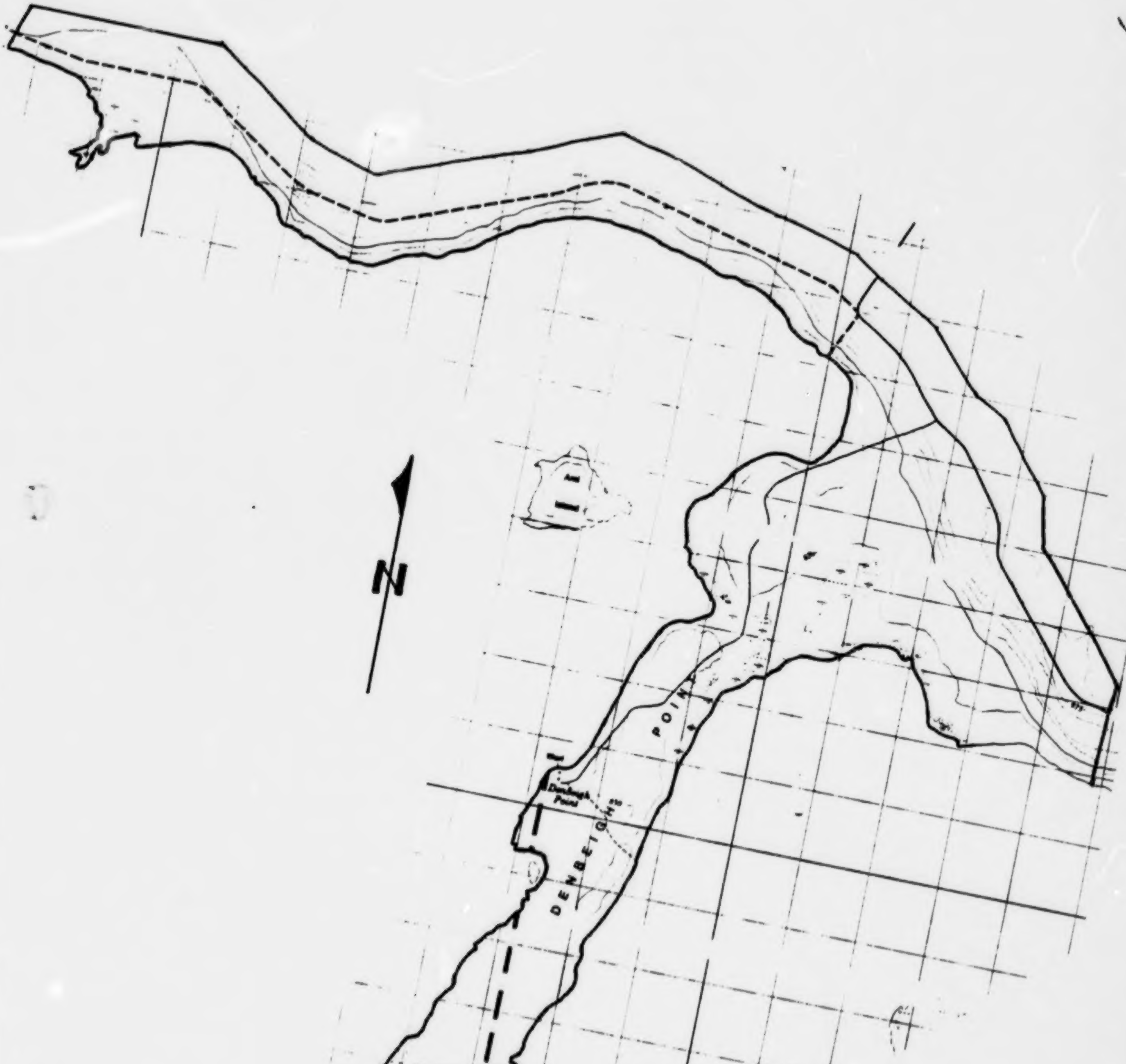
CHEMAWAWIN - PROPOSED RESERVE AT DENBEIGH POINT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CRANE RIVER

RESERVES: #51 Crane River
CHIEF: John H. McDonald
POPULATION: 291 Total
ON-RESERVE: 152
OFF-RESERVE: 139
RESERVE AREA: 8,760 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current negotiations or requests.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #2 entitling it to 160 acres per family of At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1874, the Band's population was 204. This entitled the Band to 6,520 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #51 Crane River...............................8,755.2 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-2876 dated November 21/13.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

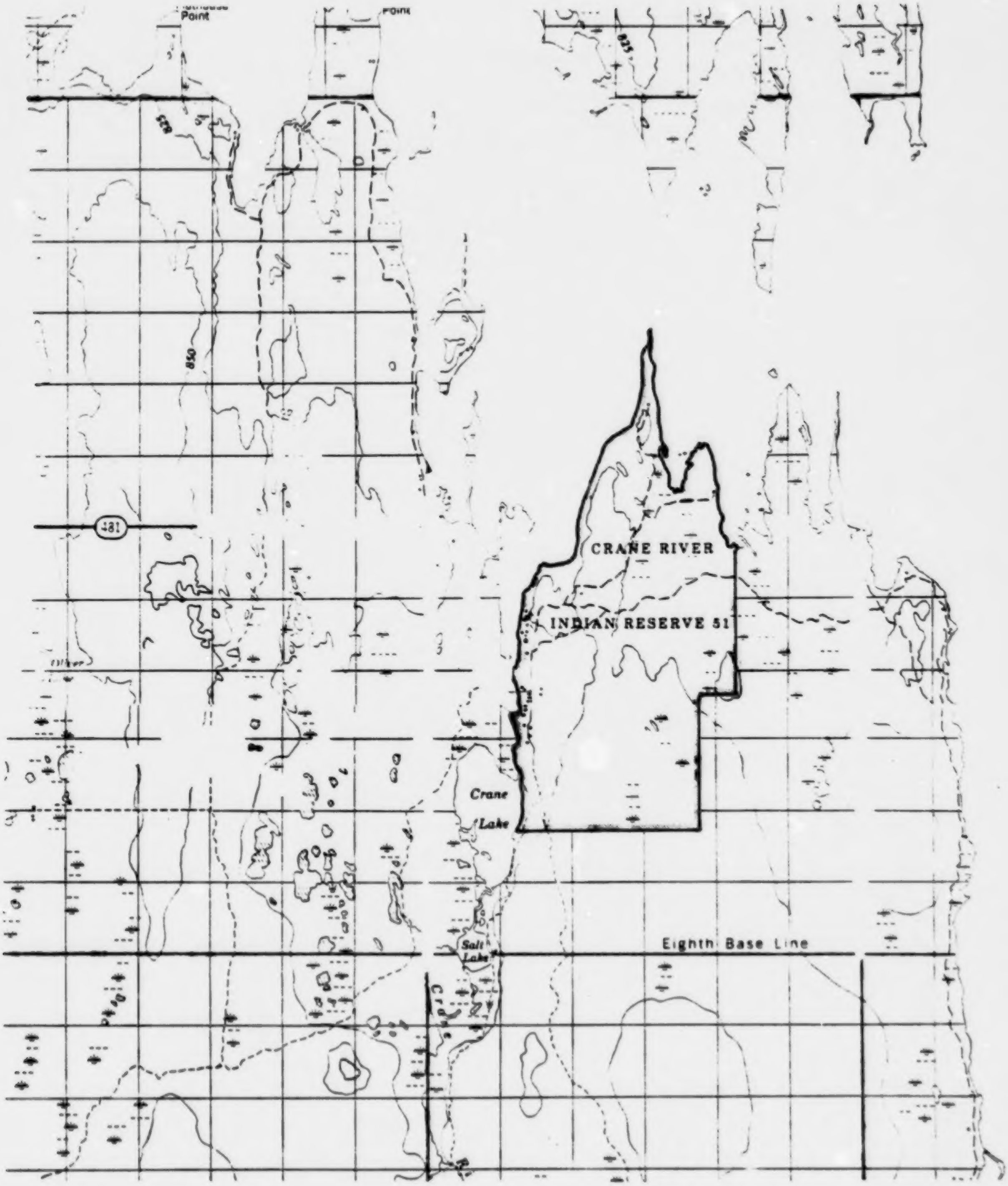
III. AIRSTRIPS: No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS: No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND: No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS: No other land problems to date.

CRANE RIVER INDIAN RESERVE #51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CROSS LAKE

RESERVE: #19, 19 A-C Cross Lake
CHIEF: Water Monias
POPULATION: 2,791 Total
ON-RESERVE: 2,284
OFF-RESERVE: 507
RESERVE AREA: 8,447 acres (Jan/86)

CURRENT ISSUES:

TREATY: The Band has filed a Statement of Claim in the Court of Queen's Bench requesting the reinstatement of former Indian Reserve #19D which would fulfil their outstanding treaty land entitlement.

FLOODING: The Band is a signatory to the Northern Flood Agreement.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 which entitled it to 8,960 acres based on a total population of 280. (207 in 1877 plus an addition of 73 people in 1908).

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #19 Cross Lake ....5,030 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1751 dated August 5/30.

Reserve #19A Cross Lake................................1,385 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1971-292 dated February 16, 1971.

Addition to 19A Cross Lake................................89.6 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1750 dated August 5/30.

Reserve #19B Cross Lake................................1,832 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1926-755 dated May 14/26.

Reserve #19C Cross Lake................................200 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1926-755 dated May 14/26.

TOTAL 8,536.6 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

8,960 - 8,536.6 = 423 acres

4) REMARKS

Reserve #19D (9,810 acres) was confirmed as Reserve by OC/PC 1930-1749 dated August 5, 1930 after the transfer of Natural Resources to the Province.

Between 1938 and 1940, J.S. McDiarmid, Minister of Mines and Natural Resources (Manitoba) requested the rescinding of OC/PC 1930-1749 because of possible flood damage from Hydro development and because the subject area was unsurveyed Provincial Crown land at the time of confirmation; therefore, the Order was not legally binding. OC/PC 1940-6177, dated November 2, 1940, rescinded #19D as Reserve.

On July 30, 1976, the Band filed Statements of Claim against the Federal and Provincial Governments regarding the reinstatement of #19D which would complete its treaty land entitlement. On October 1, 1980, the Band filed a Statement of Claim against the Province requesting determination of easement lands on #19D and payment of compensation pursuant to the Northern Flood Agreement.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band's request for the reinstatement of the former Reserve #19D would more than fulfil their remaining entitlement.

III. AIRSTRIPS

Located on Crown (Canada) lands set aside for the Roman Catholic Indian Boarding School, the airstrip is to be excluded from the proposed Reserve.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

The Band is a signatory to the Northern Flood Agreement which recognizes possible flood damage to 3,575 acres of the existing Cross Lake Reserve (19, 19A, 19B, 19C) and authorizes a land exchange for these flooded areas of 4:1, including mineral rights. This entitles the Band to 3,575 X 4 14,300 acres of additional Reserve lands. The Band will be entitled to retain affected Reserve lands, subject to an easement to Manitoba Hydro for water power storage purposes.

Early in 1983, the Band requested (a) 54 acres on the south side of Minago River as compensation under Article 3 of the NFA, (b) 11,176 acres (23 sites) by BCR dated March 15, 1983 as exchange lands under Article 3, and 495,000 acres as "hold area" under Article 4 of the NFA and (c) 18,226 acres (6 sites) by BCR dated June 10, 1983 under Article 3. In October of 1983, the Band submitted a Land Exchange and Land Use Study which incorporated all the previous Articles 3 and 4 selections. Land selections as per Article 3 now total 2 for 500,000 acres. All of the above requests have been circularized to government departments and agencies.

The Cross Lake severance area surveys have been finalized and plans sent to Energy, Mines and Resources Canada. Land affected has been determined to be 3,895 acres, resulting in the Cross Lake Band having 15,580 acres of entitlement as per the terms of Article 3 of the NFA.

The province awaits confirmation by BCR of the Article 3 lands prior to initiating transfer.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

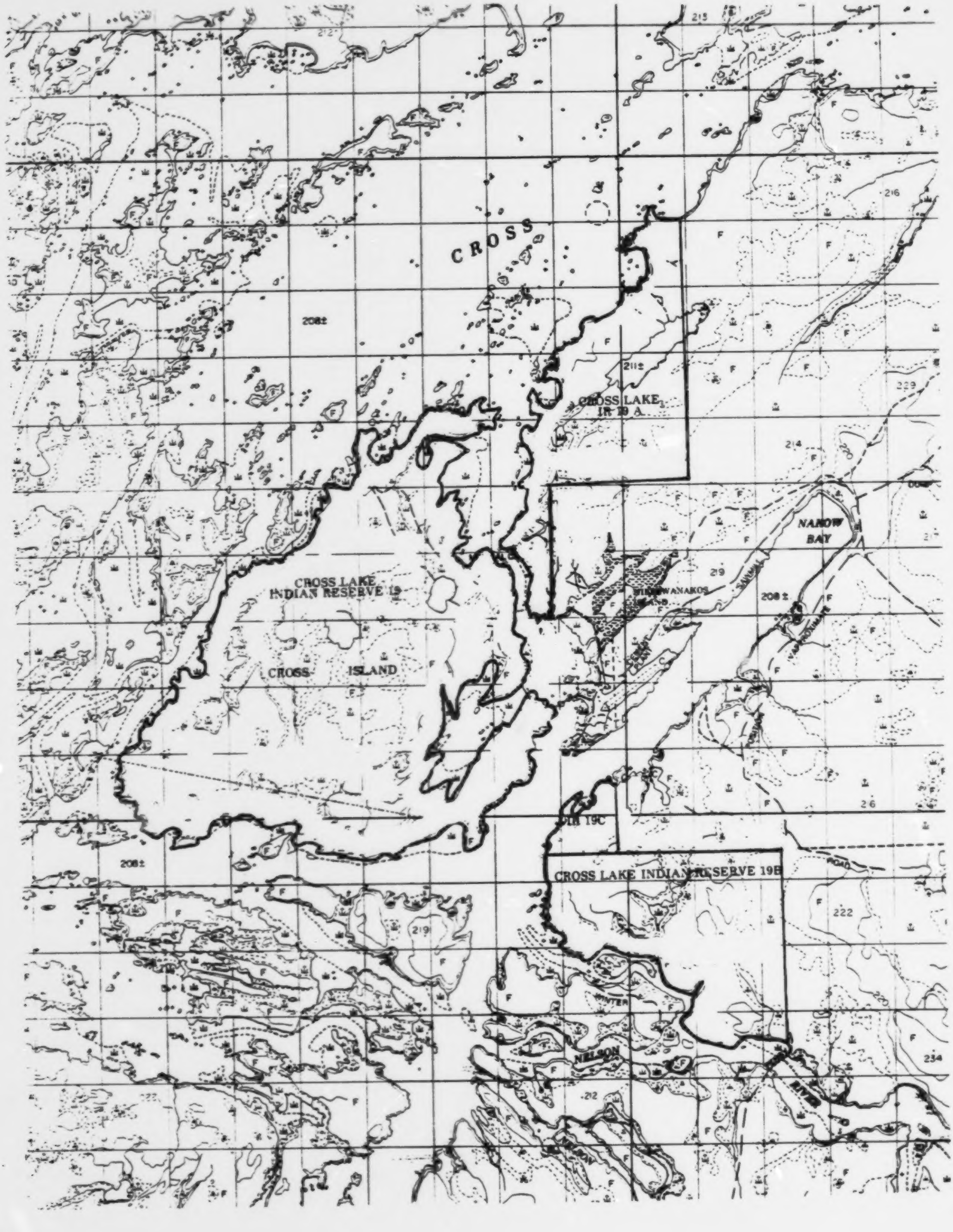
No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

OXFORD HOUSE WINTER ROAD RELOCATION

The Department of Highways and Transportation had selected an area for relocation of the present Oxford House/God's Lake winter road which traverse the Cross Lake Band's hold area selection as well as a land exchange selection. Because of objections by the Band and environmental questions requiring further assessment, the decision to relocate the winter road is being reviewed by the Manitoba Environmental Assessment Review Agency.

CROSS LAKE INDIAN RESERVE #19 , 19A, 19B, 19C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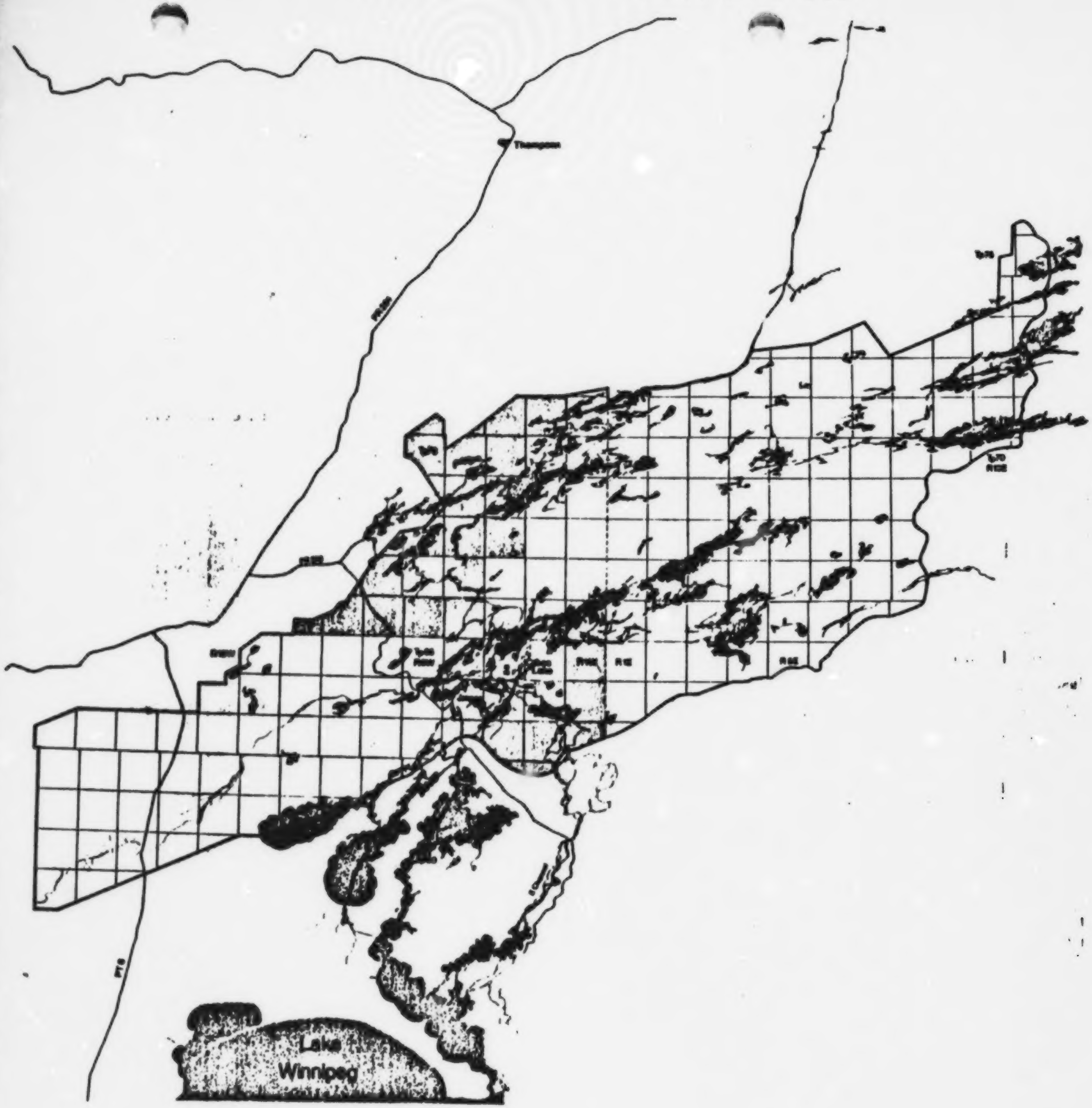
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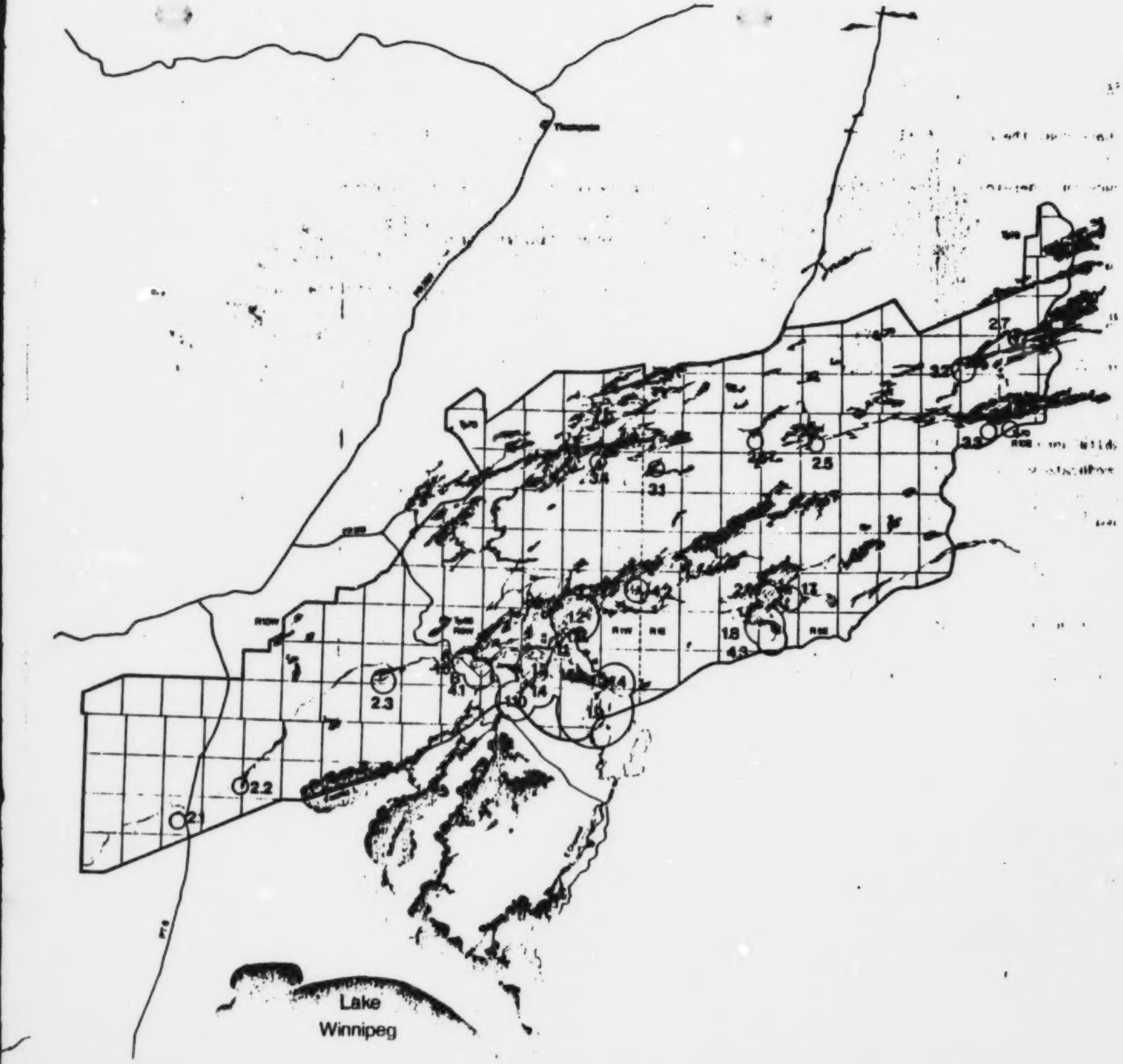
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DAKOTA PLAINS

RESERVE: #6A Dakota Plains
CHIEF: Ernie Smoke
POPULATION: 177 Total
ON-RESERVE: 114
OFF-RESERVE: 63
RESERVE AREA: 1,310 acres (Jan/86)

CURRENT ISSUES:

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band is a Sioux Band which migrated to Manitoba from the United did not sign any treaty.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #6A Dakota Plains ....1,300 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1945-3648 dated May 24/45.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

Nil.

4) REMARKS

The Dakota Plains and Dakota Tipi Band was at one time the Long Plain Sioux Band. This Band originally purchased 25 acres of land at the site known as the Old Sioux Indian Village, on Lot 99, Parish of Portage la Prairie. This land was later exchanged for 31.5 acres on Lot 25, Parish of Portage la Prairie, now the Dakota Tipi Reserve. The Dakota Plains Reserve is part of a portion of the Long Plains (Ojibway) Reserve #6 surrendered by that Band in 1916.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

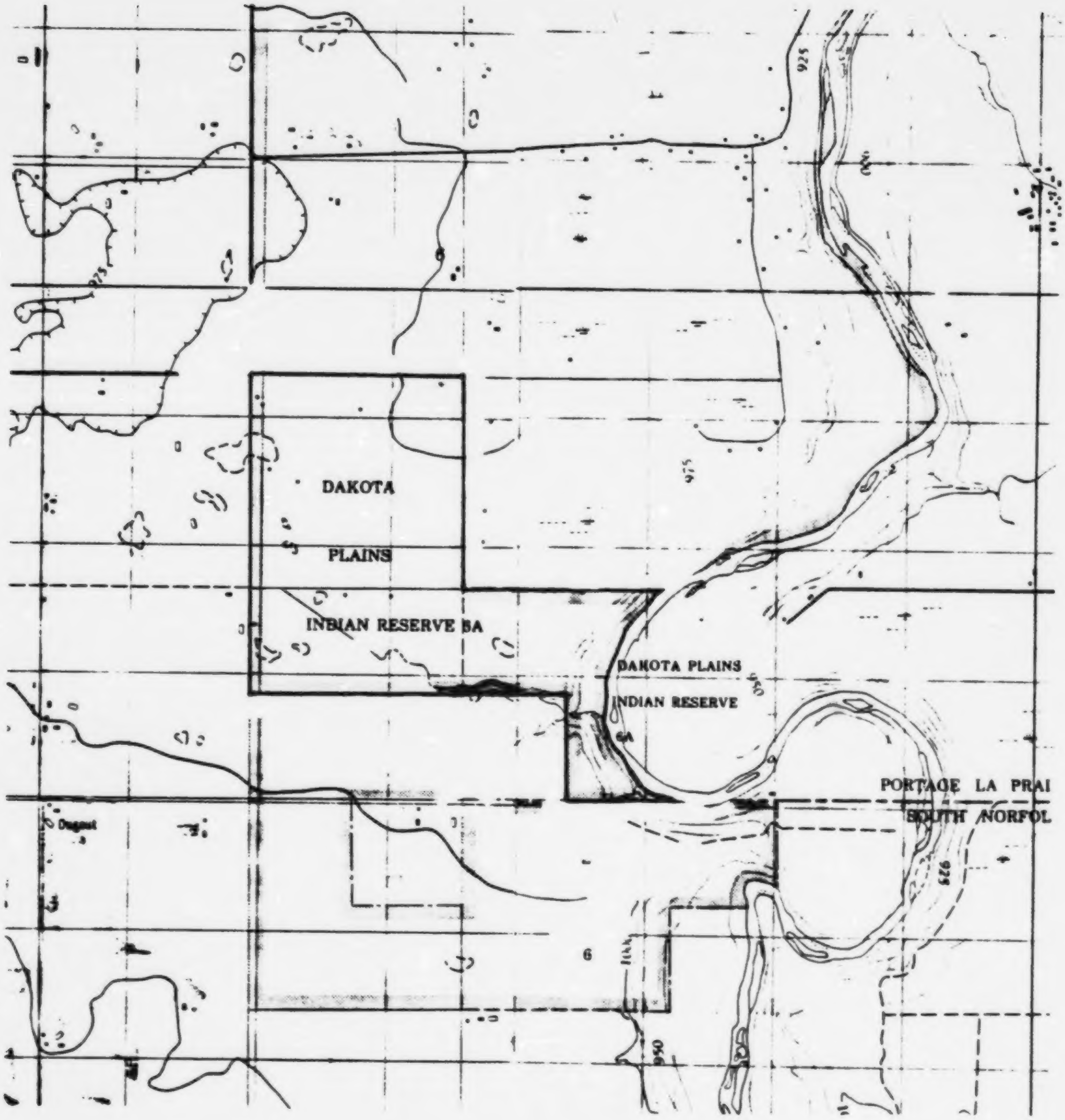
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

DAKOTA PLAINS INDIAN RESERVE #6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DAKOTA TIPI

RESERVE:	#1 Dakota Tipi
CHIEF:	Dennis Pashe
POPULATION:	178 Total
ON-RESERVE:	100
OFF-RESERVE:	78
RESERVE AREA:	32 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

MISCELLANEOUS LAND CLAIMS: The Band requested additional Reserve lands in part of Lot 24 Parish of Portage la Prairie. Canada and Manitoba have agreed on a sale of Lot 24 providing that the R.M. of Portage and the Band agree with allowable development.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band is a Sioux Band which migrated to Manitoba from the United States. As such, the Band has no aboriginal rights in Manitoba, and did not sign any treaty.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #1 Dakota Tipi ....31.5 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1973-1784 dated June 26/73.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

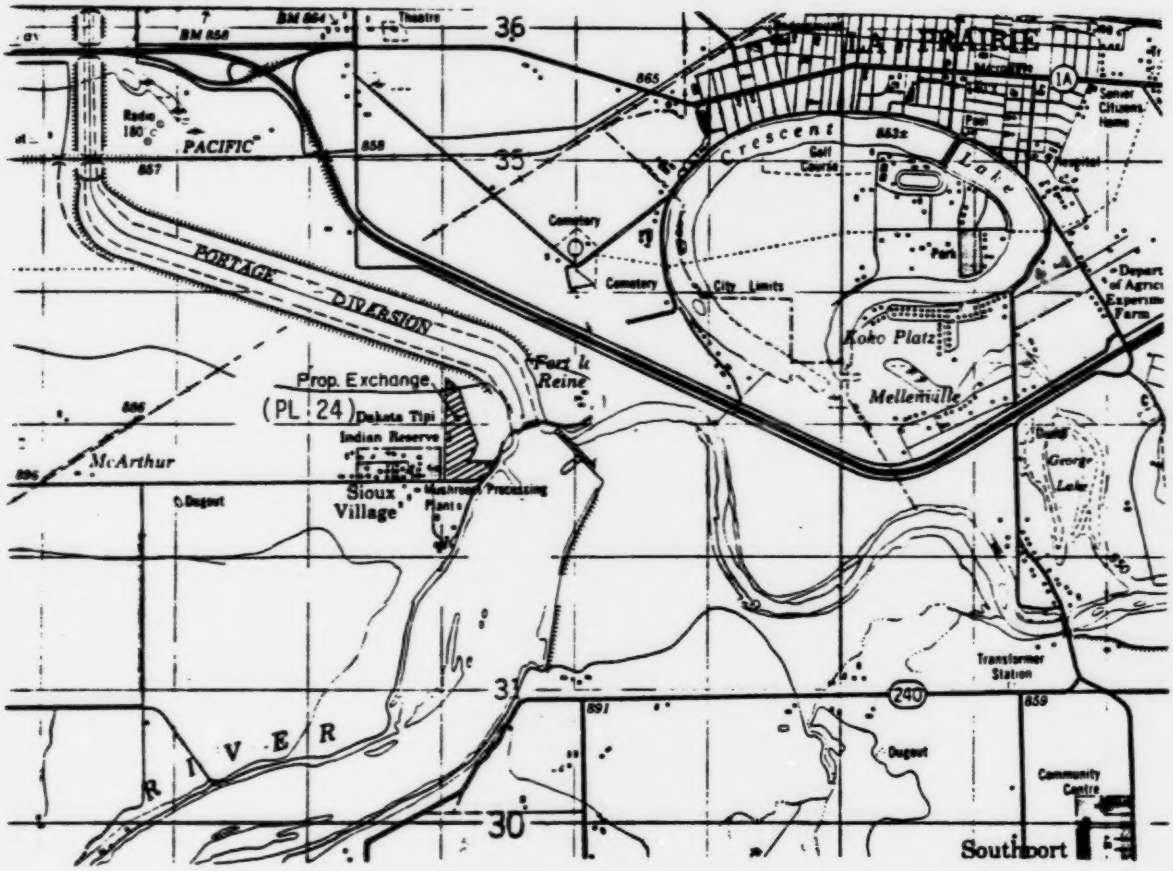
VI. MISCELLANEOUS

By BCR dated October 7, 1974 the Band requested 56.74 acres in part Lot 24, Parish of Portage la Prairie to accommodate returning Band members and population growth.

By OC #90/81 dated January 28, 1981 Cabinet approved the granting of a 50-year lease on part Lot 24 to the Band for residential and commercial purposes. This lease was executed on February 4, 1981 with the term being computed from July 1, 1980.

On January 7, 1982 Chief Pashe wrote to Honourable Howard Pawley requesting the Province to reconsider adding Lot 24 to the Reserve by way of a sale to Canada. Negotiations are proceeding.

DAKOTA TIPI INDIAN RESERVE #1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DAUPHIN RIVER

RESERVE:	#48A Dauphin River
CHIEF:	Emery Stagg
POPULATION:	125 Total
ON-RESERVE:	105
OFF-RESERVE:	20
RESERVE AREA:	801 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current negotiations or requests

I. TREATY

This Band signed Treaty #2 as part of the Little Saskatchewan Band and was not formally a separate Band until May 13, 1977.

(SEE: Little Saskatchewan Band, page 101 for a more complete computation).

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

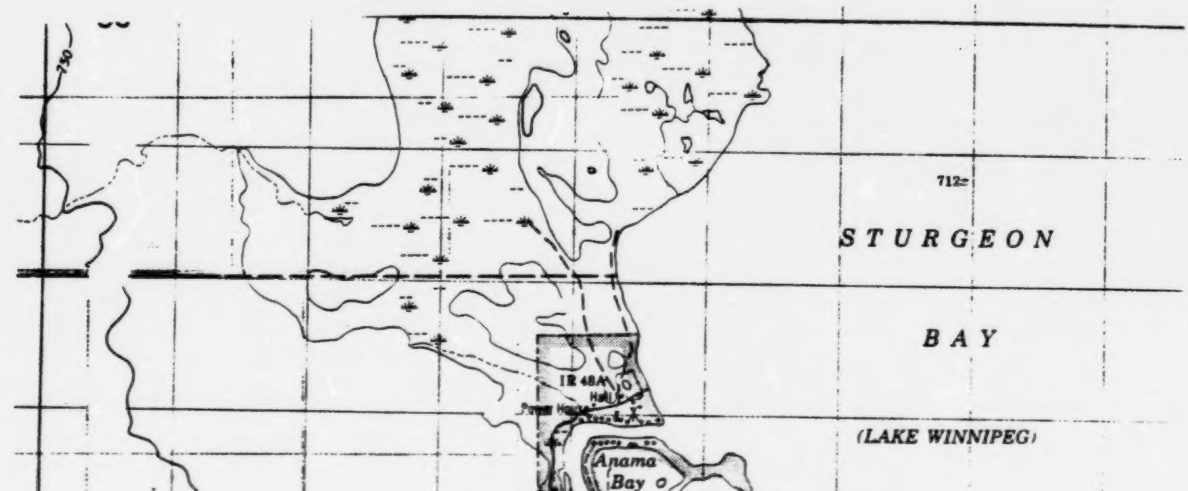
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

DAUPHIN RIVER INDIAN BAND #48A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EBB AND FLOW

RESERVE:	#52 Ebb and Flow
CHIEF:	Alfred Beaulieu
POPULATION:	889 Total
ON-RESERVE:	556
OFF-RESERVE:	333
RESERVE AREA:	11,535 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current issues or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #2 entitling it to 2,592 acres based on an 1875 population of 81.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #52 Ebb and Flow..........................11,550 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1916-3022 dated December 7/16.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

2,592 - 11,550 = Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

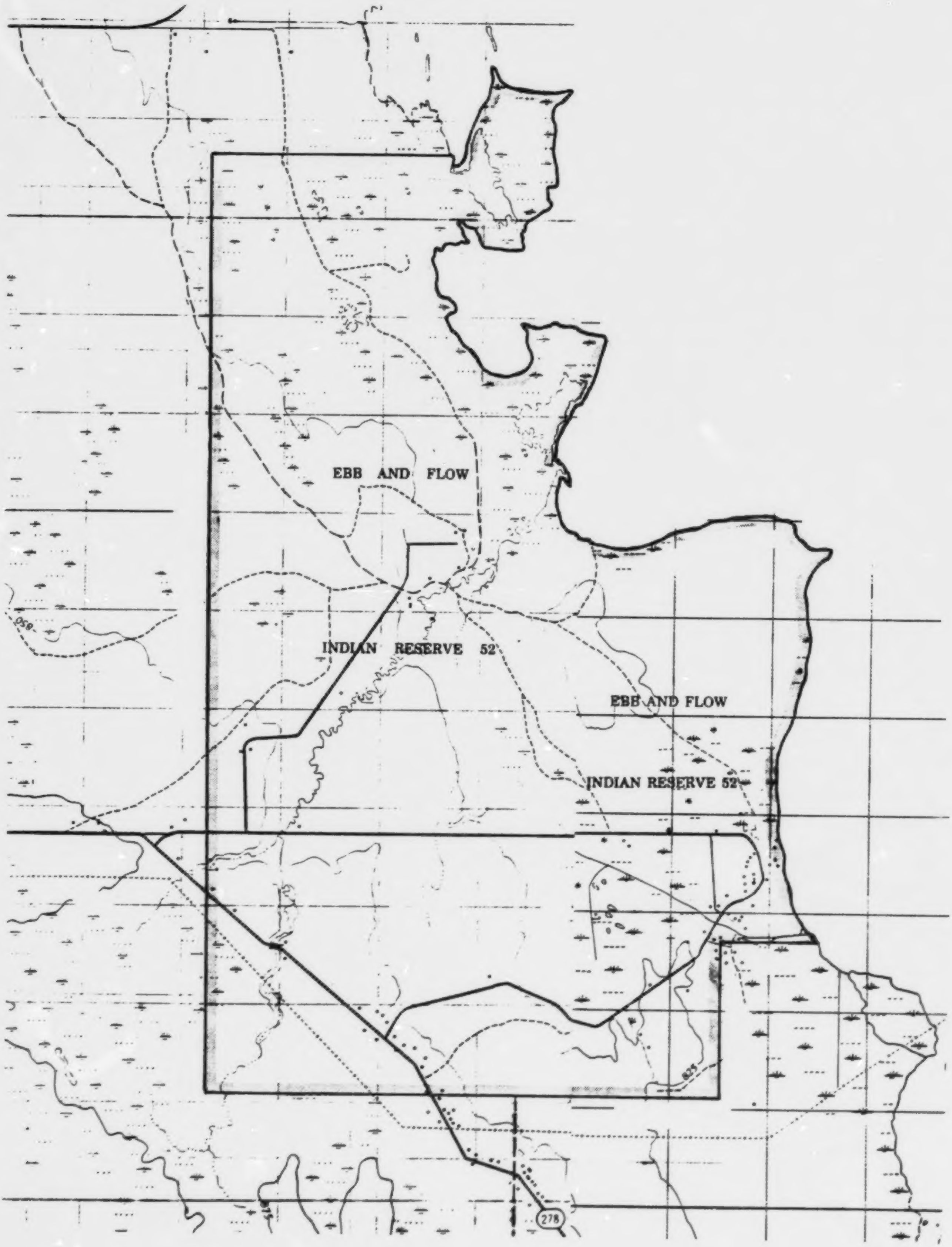
No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No exchange requested to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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FAIRFORD

RESERVE:	#50 Fairford
CHIEF:	Edward Anderson
POPULATION:	1,162 Total
ON-RESERVE:	827
OFF-RESERVE:	335
RESERVE AREA:	11,355 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

The Band awaits designation of flood compensation lands transferred to Canada as Indian Reserve.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #2 entitling it to 8,864 acres based on an 1878 population of 277 people.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #50 Fairford..............................11,553 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1748 dated August 5/30.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

8,864 - 11,553 = Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

Periodic flooding of the low lying Reserve lands has been aggravated by the operation of the Fairford River Water Control Works. In 1974, the Band, the Federal and Provincial Governments signed an agreement which provided the Band with compensation for loss of hay production on the Reserve. This compensation is not based on an acreage formula but rather on the basis of the land's ability to produce the equivalent amount of hay as those flooded lands. The agreement included the Band's retention of the Reserve lands subject to flooding, an addition of 5,712 acres to the Reserve, and other conditions.

The Band selected an area south of the existing Reserve, lying between PTH #6 and Lake St. Martin, as the proposed addition.

By Order-in-Council 1398/76 dated December 29. 1976, the Province authorized the transfer of 5,711.91 acres to Canada for the use and benefit of the Fairford Band.

Canada is performing surveys to delineate flooding levels prior to finalizing this land exchange.

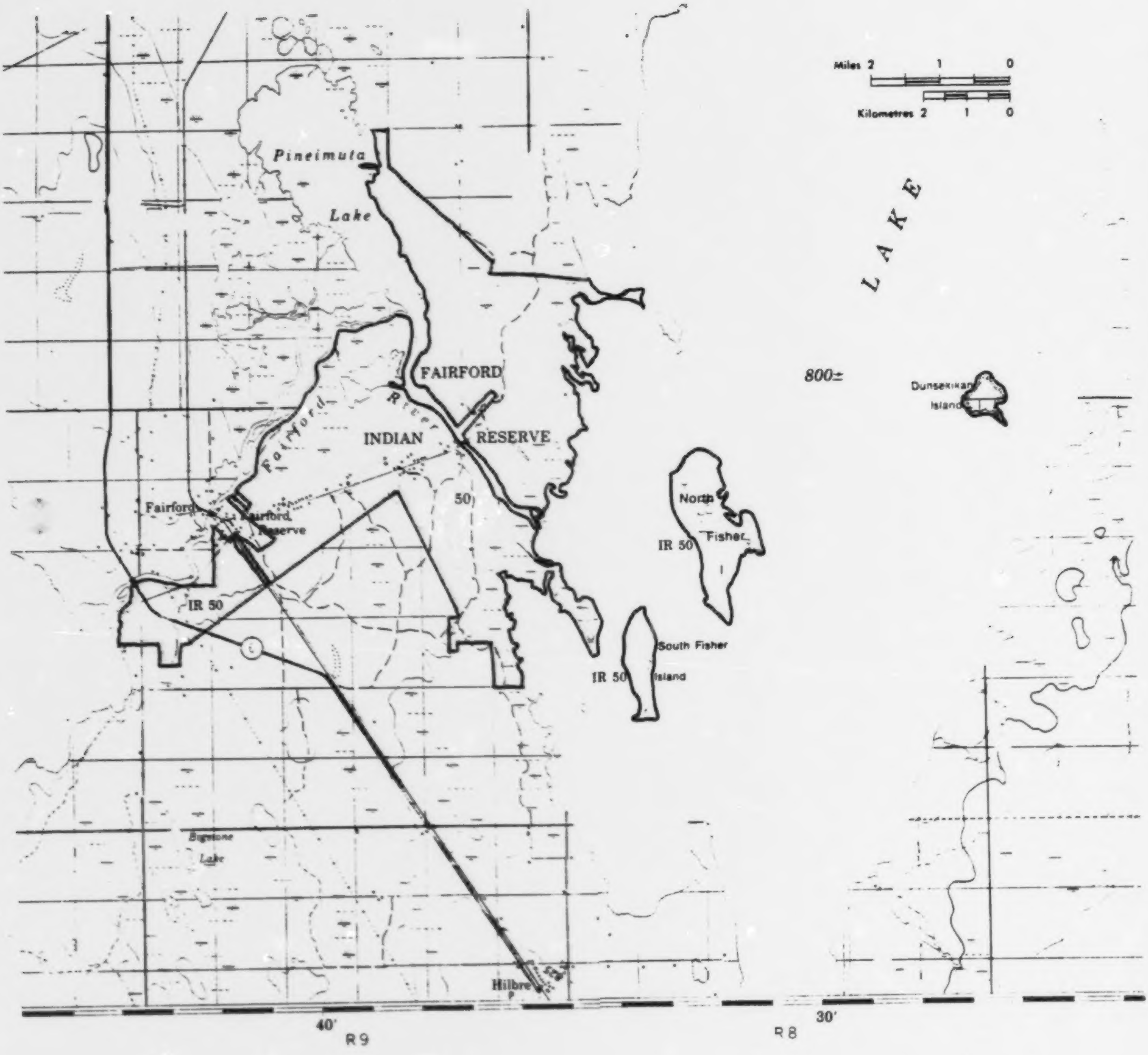
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

FAIRFORD INDIAN RESERVE #50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FISHER RIVER

RESERVE:	#44 & 44A Fisher River
CHIEF:	Wesley Hart
POPULATION:	1,585 Total
ON-RESERVE:	884
OFF-RESERVE:	681
RESERVE AREA:	15,614 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current issues or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band signed Treaty #5 as part of the Norway House Band. At the time of the first survey of the Norway House Reserve in 1877, the Fisher River Band was still part of the Norway House Band, and accordingly the Province calculates the treaty entitlement for these two Bands as one entity.

Together, the Fisher River and Norway House Bands received their total treaty entitlement of 160 acres per family of five.

The Department of Indian Affairs has recently taken the stand that inasmuch as the Fisher River group was mentioned separately in Treaty #5, with a reduced entitlement of 100 acres per family of five, the group should be treated as a separate Band. This Federal position recognizes the fulfilment of the Fisher River Band's entitlement, but shows an outstanding entitlement for Norway House. (SEE: Norway House, Page 122).

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #44 Fisher River .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-2876 dated November 31/13.	8,998.4 acres
Addition to #44 Fisher River .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1896-2980 dated August 25/96.	4,614.4 acres
Addition to #44 Fisher River .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1911-2215 dated October 2/11.	160 acres
Reserve #44a Fisher River .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1911-2215 dated October 2/11.	1,920 acres
TOTAL	15,692.8 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

Nil. (SEE: Norway House, Page 122)

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

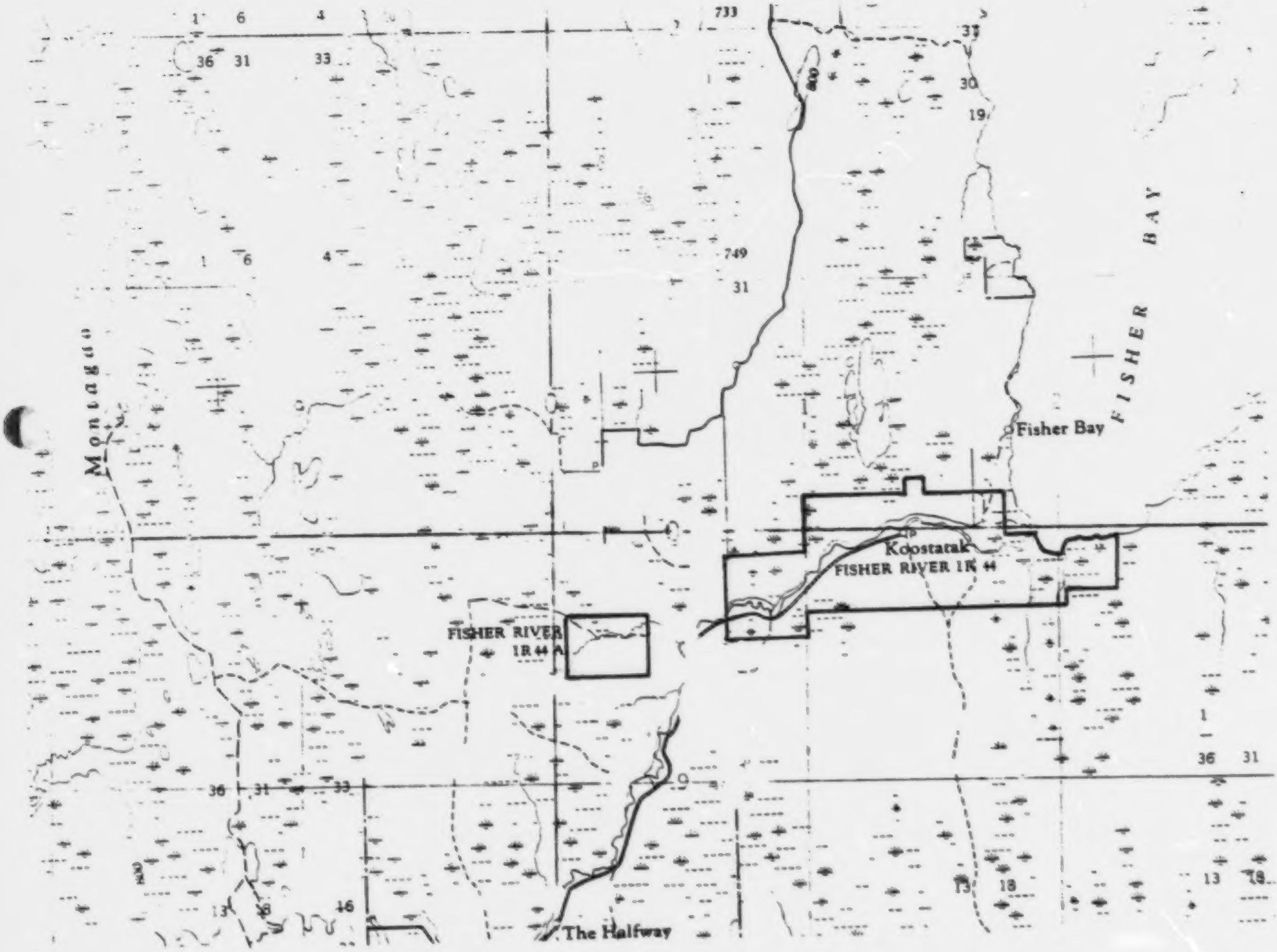
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

FISHER RIVER INDIAN RESERVES #44 & 44A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FORT ALEXANDER

RESERVE:	#3 Fort Alexander
CHIEF:	Kenneth Courchene
POPULATION:	3,330 Total
ON-RESERVE:	2,120
OFF-RESERVE:	1,210
RESERVE AREA:	21,774 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current issues or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #1 which entitled it to 12,608 acres based on an 1873 population of 394 people.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #3 Fort Alexander........................21,280.4 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1404 dated June 14/30.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

12,608 - 21,280 = Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

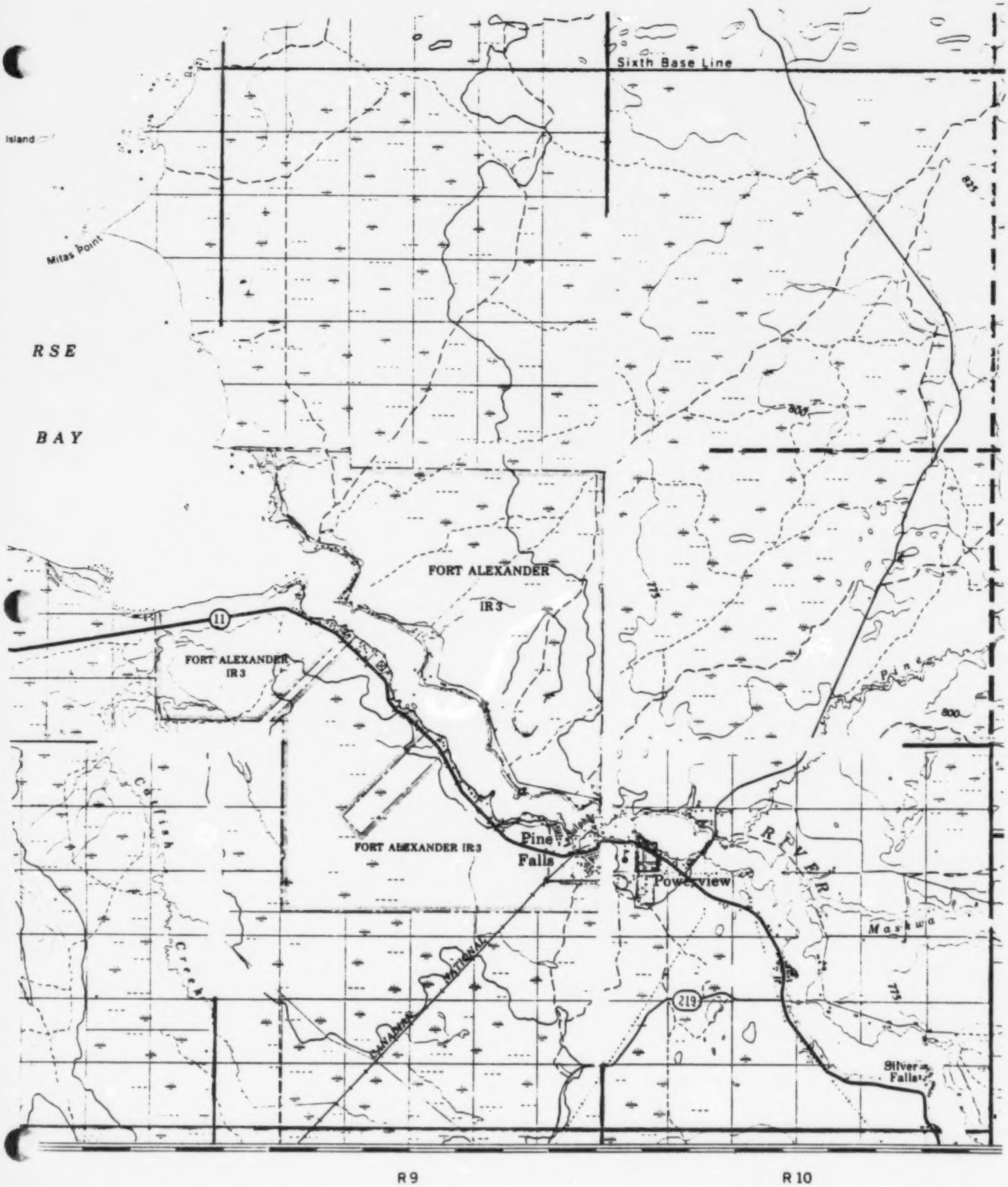
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

FORT ALEXANDER INDIAN RESERVE #3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FORT CHURCHILL

RESERVE:	#1 Tadoule Lake
CHIEF:	Peter Yassie
POPULATION:	456 Total
ON-RESERVE:	265
OFF-RESERVE:	291
RESERVE AREA:	524 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current issues or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 entitling it to 12,288 acres based on December 31, 1976 population of 384.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Fort Churchill Indian Reserve #1......................524 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1981-1631 dated June 18/81.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

12,288 - 524 11,764

4) REMARKS

Historically, the Band maintained settlement at Churchill, Duck Lake, South Knife Lake and North Knife Lake. In 1973 the Band settled at Tadoule Lake and selected an area which was later surveyed as 524 acres. This was considered to be the Band's first selection and its population as of December 31, 1976 was used in calculating its treaty land entitlement. This 524 acres has been confirmed as Reserve by Canada.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

No new selection to date.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

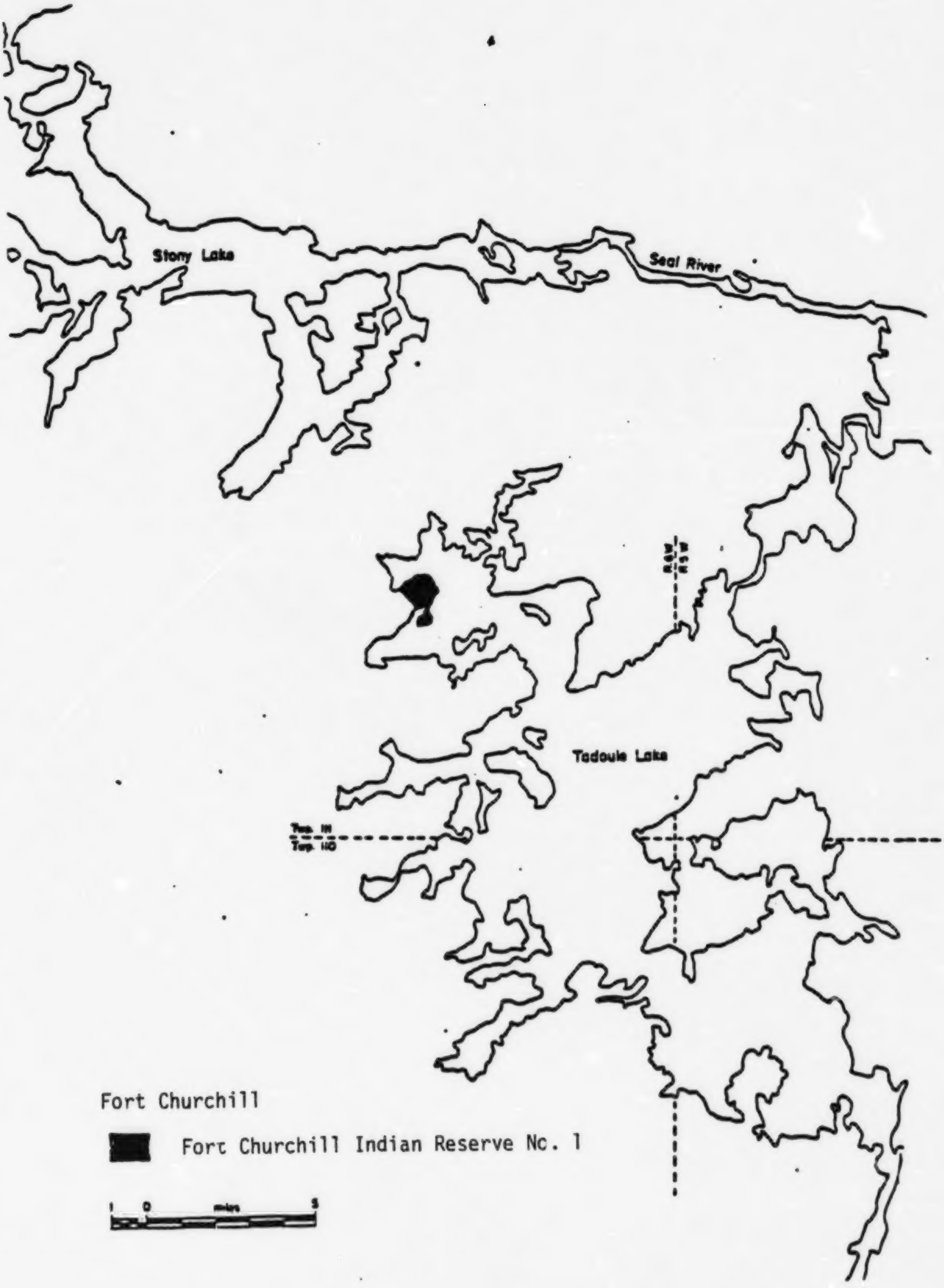
Manitoba Hydro has future plans to develop the Seal River system and has made initial application to Water Resources for the establishment of a Water Power Reserve along the river system.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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Fort Churchill

■ Fort Churchill Indian Reserve No. 1

FOX LAKE

RESERVE:	#1, #2, & #3 Fox Lake
CHIEF:	Robert Wavey
POPULATION:	413 Total
ON-RESERVE:	92
OFF-RESERVE:	321
RESERVE AREA:	4,299.71 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current issues or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 entitling it to 4,480 acres based on an 1970 population of 140 people.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #1 Fox Lake (Atkinson Lake)	1,388 acres
Reserve #3 Fox Lake West (Armstrong Lake)	2,814 acres

Both confirmed by OC/PC 1977 1392 dated May 19/77.

Reserve #2 Fox Lake	97.71 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1982 dated June 20/85.	
TOTAL	4,299.71 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

4,480 - 4,299 = 181 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Present Status of Land Selections:

Total outstanding treaty entitlement	181 acres
Unidentified, possibly at Sundance	180.29 acres

In 1979 the Band was asked to reconsider its selection at Bird with a view to selecting all its remaining treaty entitlement. The Band indicated that it would consider selecting its remaining entitlement and the exchange lands for Armstrong at Bird.

In 1980 the Band claimed that its land entitlement should have been based on a population of 201 and not 140. In 1981 the office of Native Claims confirmed the population for entitlement purposes at 201. This figure is to be verified by the Department of Justice.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

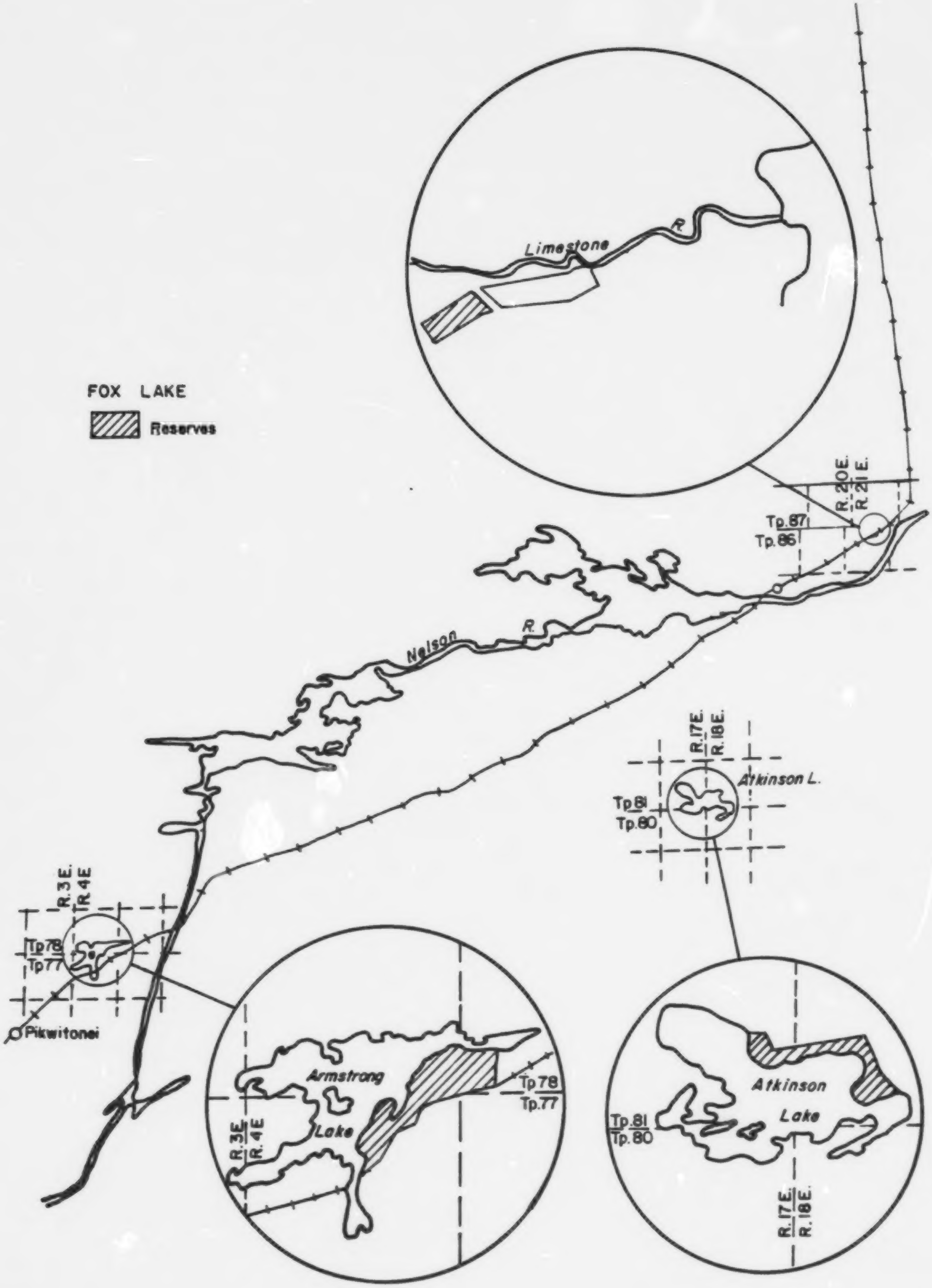
No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

Order-in-Council #392/73 dated April 12, 1973 transferred 2,814 acres at Armstrong Lake to Canada for the Band. By BCR the Band advised DIAND that it would not accept the lands at Armstrong Lake and requested a land exchange of Armstrong Lake Reserve for an equal area at Bird. However, Canada considers the lands as part of the Band's treaty land entitlement and by OC/PC 1977-1392 dated May 19, 1877, confirmed this area as Reserve.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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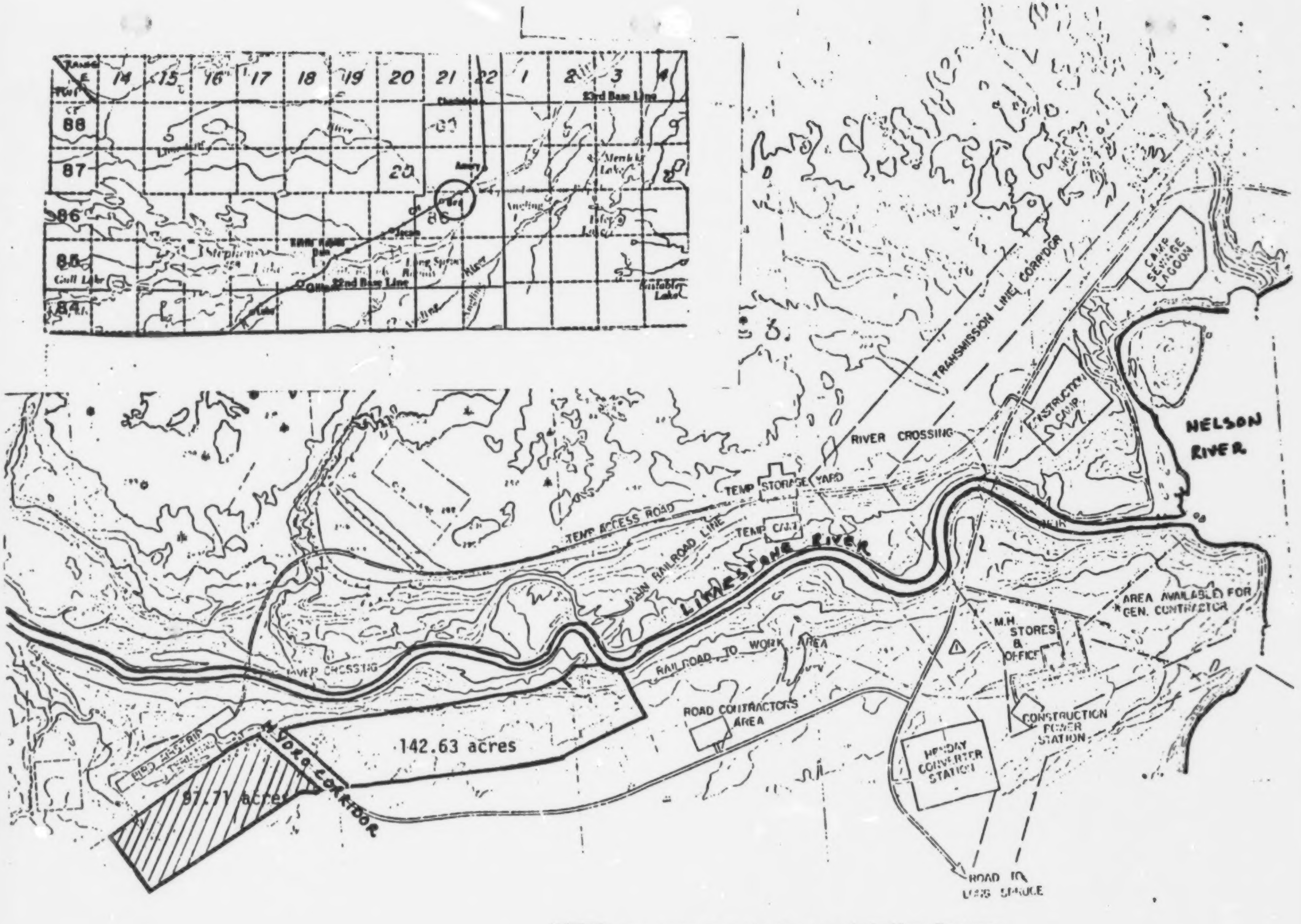
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HENDAY CONVERTER STATION
ROAD TO LONG SPRUCE
142.63 acres
87.71 acres
YORK CORRIDOR

▨ Fox Lake Band's Proposed Indian Reserve

GAMBLER

RESERVE: Gamblers
CHIEF: J. J. Tanner
POPULATION: 54
ON-RESERVE: 23
OFF-RESERVE: 31
RESERVE AREA: 878 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band originally signed Treaty #4 entitling it to 640 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1883, the Band population was 300. At this time the Band was comprised of the present-day Gambler, Valley River and Waywayseecappo Bands, so for purposes of treaty entitlement, these bands can be considered as one. Thus, entitlement would be 38,400 acres, basd on the 1883 population.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Originally, to fulfil treaty entitlement, the Band received:

Reserve #63 Gambler..................................19,200 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1889-1151 dated May 17/89.

Reserve #62 Lizard Point ....24,960 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1889-1151 dated May 17/89.

Total: 44,160 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

38,400 - 44,160 acres = Nil.

4) REMARKS

The Band subsequently split into three separate Bands. Reserve #62 was set aside for the Waywayseecappo Band (SEE Page 192) The Gambler Band retained 9,600 acres of Reserve #63 for its own use and surrenderd 9,600 acres to the Valley River Band. (See Page 182).

In 1896 the Gambler Band surrendered 8,740 acres of its Reserve for sale. Subsequently reacquisitions and reinstatements of lands to Indian Reserve status resulted in the present reserve size of 1,038 acres.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

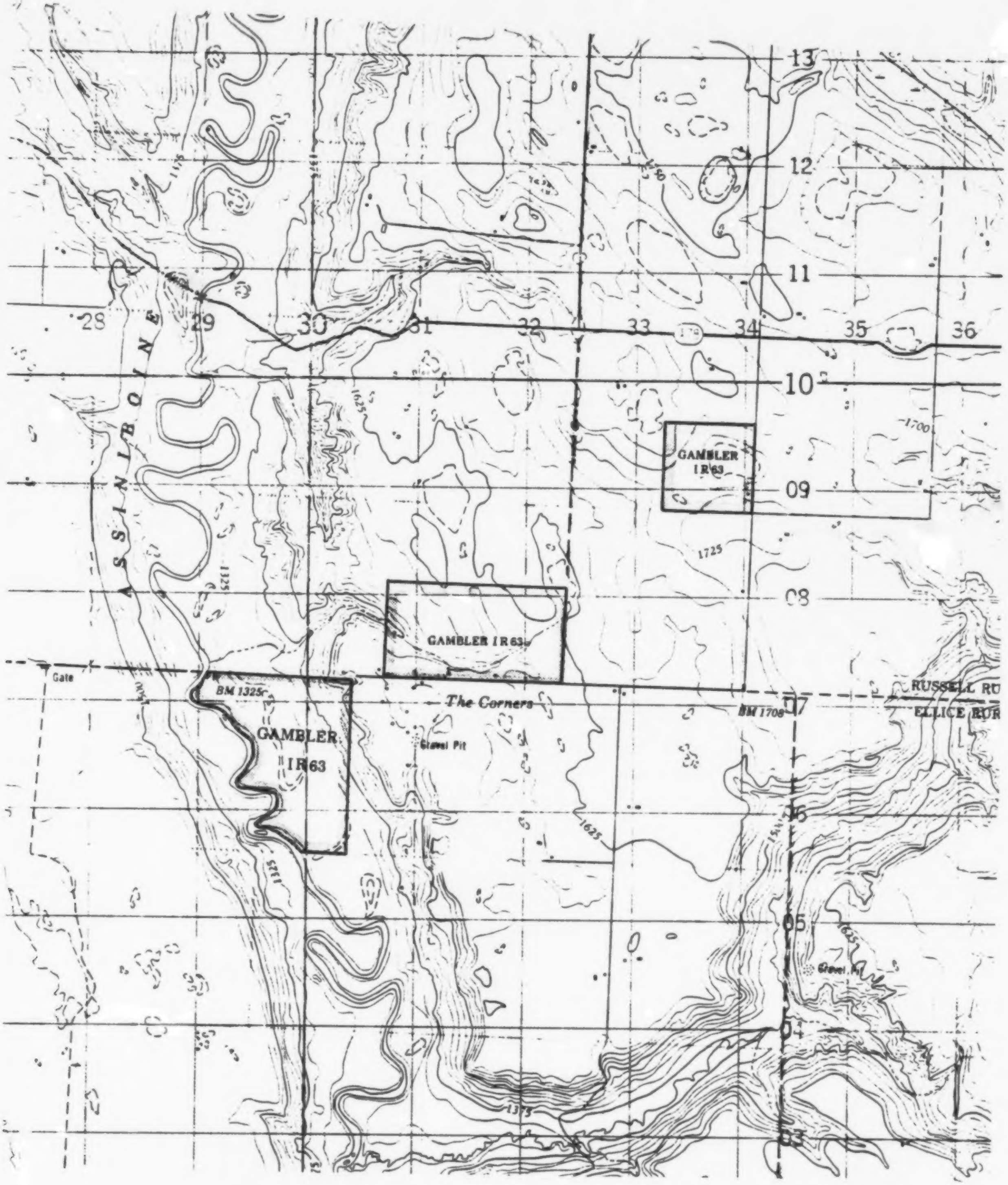
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

GAMBLER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GARDEN HILL

RESERVE:	#22A Garden Hill
CHIEF:	Percy Flett
POPULATION:	2,087
ON-RESERVE:	1,920
OFF-RESERVE:	167
RESERVE AREA:	3,023 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band was part of the Island Lake Band until 1969, and for treaty entitlement purposes, the Garden Hill, Red Sucker Lake, Ste. Theresa Point, and Wasagamack Bands can be considered as the one Island Lake Band.

The Island Lake Band signed Treaty #5 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey, this Band numbered 649. This entitled the Band to:

649 X 160/5 = 20,768 acres

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #22 Island Lake .... (now Ste. Theresa Point and Wasagamack)	14,806.0 acres
Reserve #22A Island Lake (now Garden Hill)........ BOTH confirmed by OC/PC 1929-2524 dated December 29/29.	3,023.2 acres
Reserve # 976 Red Sucker Lake .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1978-845 dated March 23/78.	254.8 acres
TOTAL	18,084.0 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

20,768 - 18,084 = 2,684 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

The Garden Hill Band has an outstanding treaty entitlement of 2,684 acres to be shared with the other three Island Lake Bands.

III. AIRSTRIPS

The airstrip is located on Stevenson Island (Crown Land).

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

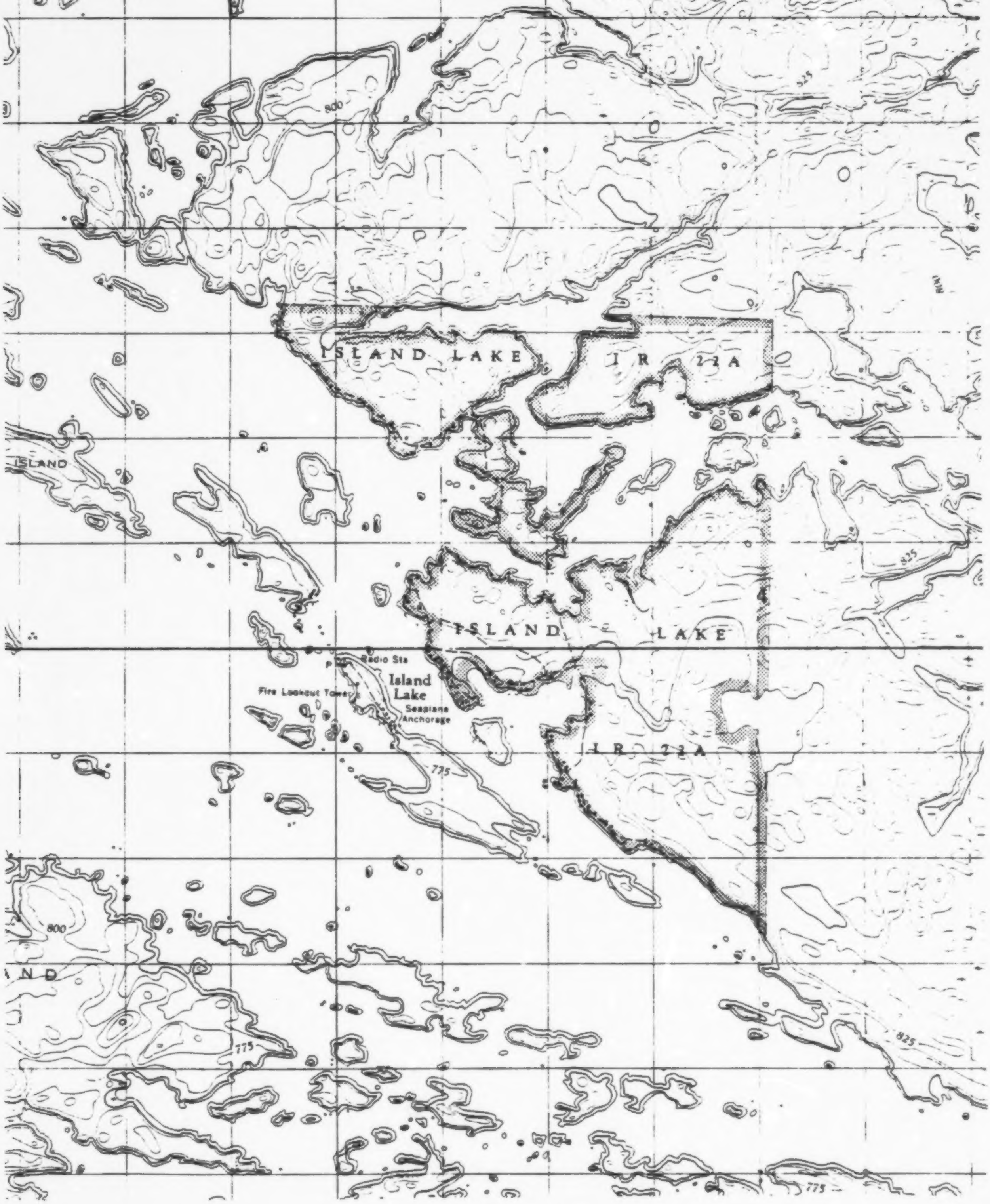
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

The Band requested that Lots "D" and "E" at Stevenson Island be turned over to DIAND for Reserve status. On January 15, 1981 the Province leased Lot "E" at Stevenson Island to the Band for 21 years.

GARDEN HILL INDIAN RESERVE #22 A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GODS LAKE

RESERVE:	#23 Gods Lake
CHIEF:	David Nassie
POPULATION:	1,273
ON-RESERVE:	944
OFF-RESERVE:	329
RESERVE AREA:	9,132 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

The Gods Lake Band was divided into the Gods Lake and Gods River Bands in T976. The Gods River Band was given jurisdiction over 700 acres of the existing Reserve to exchange for lands at Gods River.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band signed Treaty #5 which entitles it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1924, the Band's population was 308, entitling it to 9,856 acres.

As the Gods River Band did not become a separate band until 1976, the Gods Lake and Gods River Bands can be considered one entity for treaty entitlement purposes.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #23 Gods Lake..........................9,832 acres
confirmed by OC/PC 19 30-429 dated February 25/30.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

9,856 - 9,832 = 24 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

In 1974 the Band requested that a parcel of Federally owned land at Gods Lake Narrows (Parcel 2 - 1.62 acres) be set aside as Reserve. In 1982 Canada advised that this transfer will be held until the Band's outstanding treaty land entitlement is validated and Canada/Band/Province agree on the kind and amount of land that will be made available for this purpose.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No problems to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No exchanges to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

GODS RIVER

RESERVE:	Part #23 Gods Lake
CHIEF:	Moses Kimow
POPULATION:	324 total
ON-RESERVE:	3
OFF-RESERVE:	321
RESERVE AREA:	700 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

The Band requested a land exchange on September, 1982 involving 300 acres Gods Lake Narrows in exchange for 300 acres of Crown land at Gods River for a proposed new reserve.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band was part of the Gods Lake Band until 1976, and so for entitlement purposes, the two Bands can be considered as one. The Gods River Band is entitled to part of 24 acres of the Gods Lake Band's outstanding treaty entitlement.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

No requests or selection to date.

III. AIRSTRIPS

The Band had demanded the Province expropriate Ruminski's airstrip for public purposes. No action was taken as this airstrip is already open for public use.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

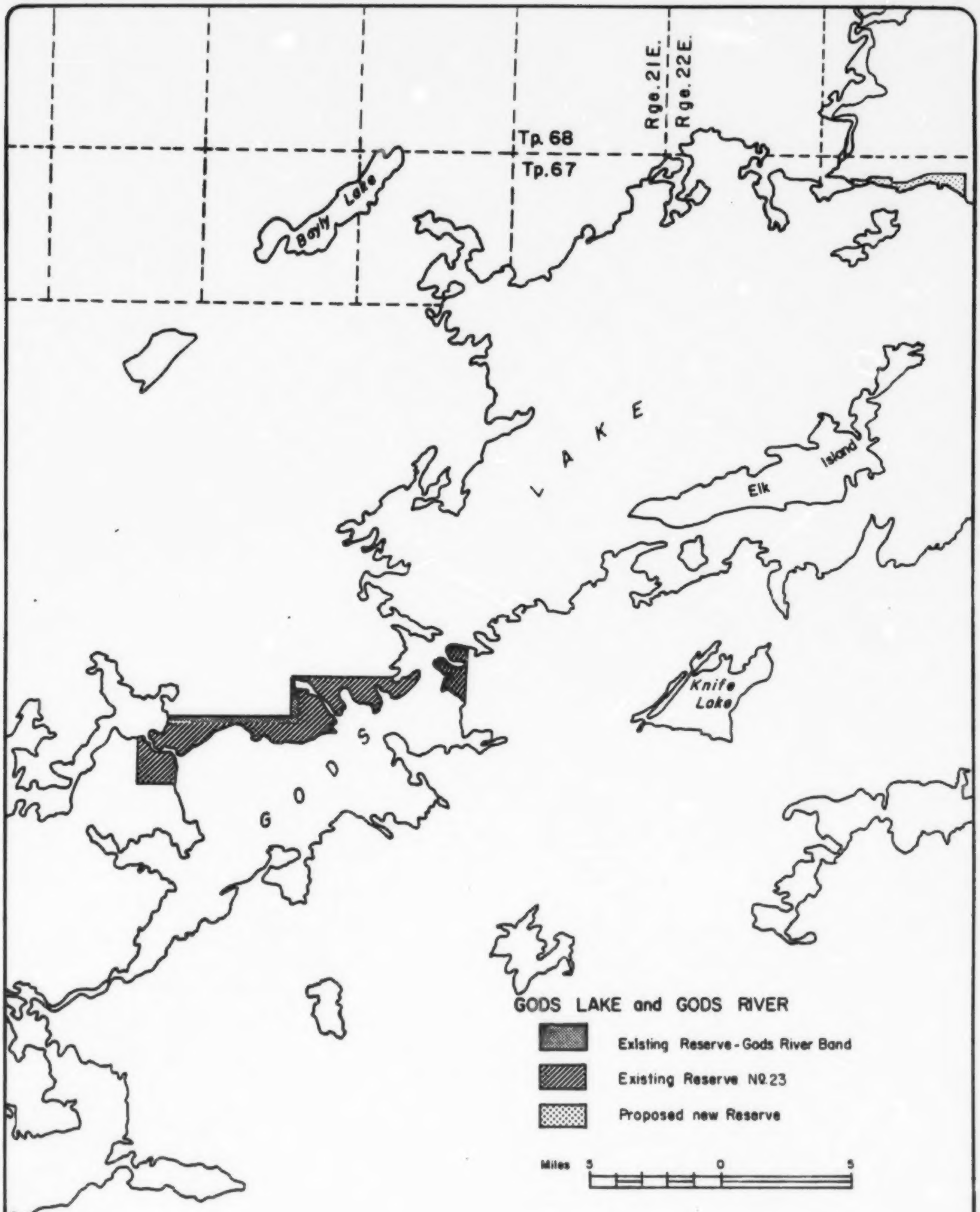
By BCR dated September 18, 1982 the Band requested transfer of 300 acres as exchange lands at Gods River.

On March 9, 1983 Cabinet approval-in-principle was received for a land exchange between Canada and the Province including 300 acres of provincial Crown land at Gods River for an equivalent area of Gods Lake Indian Reserve #23.

Manitoba has transferred Crown land to Canada by O/C #677 and are awaiting a federal Order to complete this transaction.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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GRAND RAPIDS

RESERVE:	#33 Grand Rapids
CHIEF:	Patsy Turner
POPULATION:	474 Total
ON-RESERVE:	305
OFF-RESERVE:	169
RESERVE AREA:	4,577 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

The Band wishes to become a party to the Grand Rapids Forebay, Letters of Intent.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band signed Treaty #5 which entitles it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1877, the Band's population was 135, entitling it to 4,651 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #33 Grand Rapids........................2,752 acres
Confirmed by OC/PCC1929-2508 dated December 28, 1929.

Addition to #33................................1,899 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1896-312 dated January 29/96.
TOTAL 4,651 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

4,320 - 4,651 = Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

A Statement of Claim filed in regard to Grand Rapids Forebay flooding was struck down because the Band is not a party to the Grand Rapids Forebay Agreement.

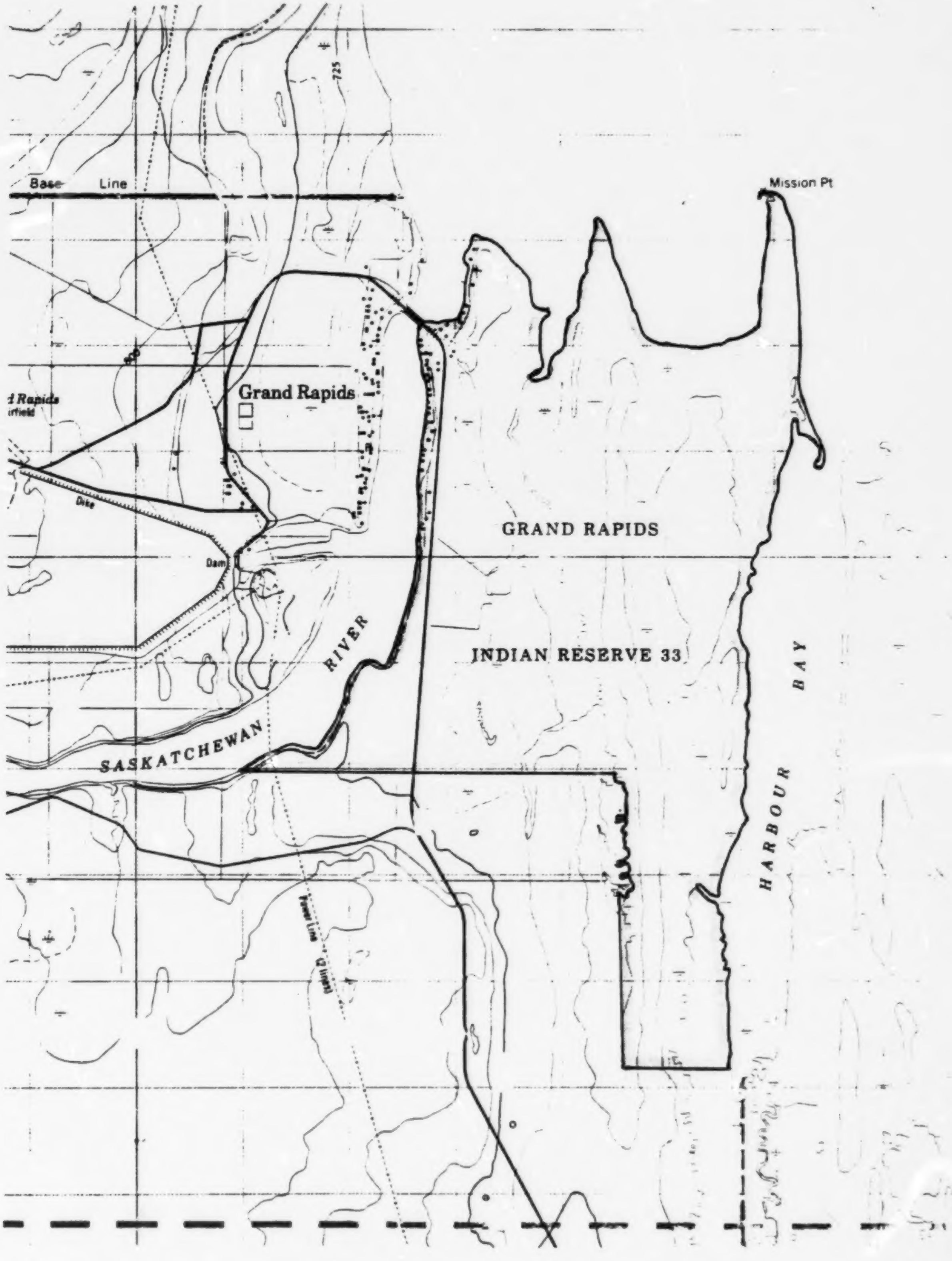
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

The Band wishes to become a party to the Forebay Letters of Intent and their resultant economic benefits. Negotiations are proceeding.

GRAND RAPIDS INDIAN RESERVE #33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HOLLOW WATER

RESERVE:	#10 Hollow Water or Hole River
CHIEF:	Roderick Bushie
POPULATION:	613 Total
ON-RESERVE:	460
OFF-RESERVE:	153
RESERVE AREA:	4,009 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

The location of road (Plan #7142 WLTO) varies from the plan of survey. Plans for survey and reconstruction of access road to PR #304 have been discussed.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the date of the first survey of the Reserve in 1884, the Band population was 83, entitling the Band to 2,656 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #10 Hollow Water or Hole River ....3,574 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1916-2518 dated October 14/16.

Addition to Reserve #10........................... 446.1 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-918 dated May 2/30.
TOTAL 4,020.1 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

2,565 - 4,020 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

In 1981 the Bloodvein, Hollow Water, and Jackhead Bands surrendered their collective interest in the Loon Straits Indian Reserve #11 (1,135 acres) in exchange for an equal acreage, to be proportionately added to the three existing Reserves. The Hollow Water Band received 446.1 acres from this exchange in 1930. The remaining compensation went to the Bloodvein and Jackhead Bands.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

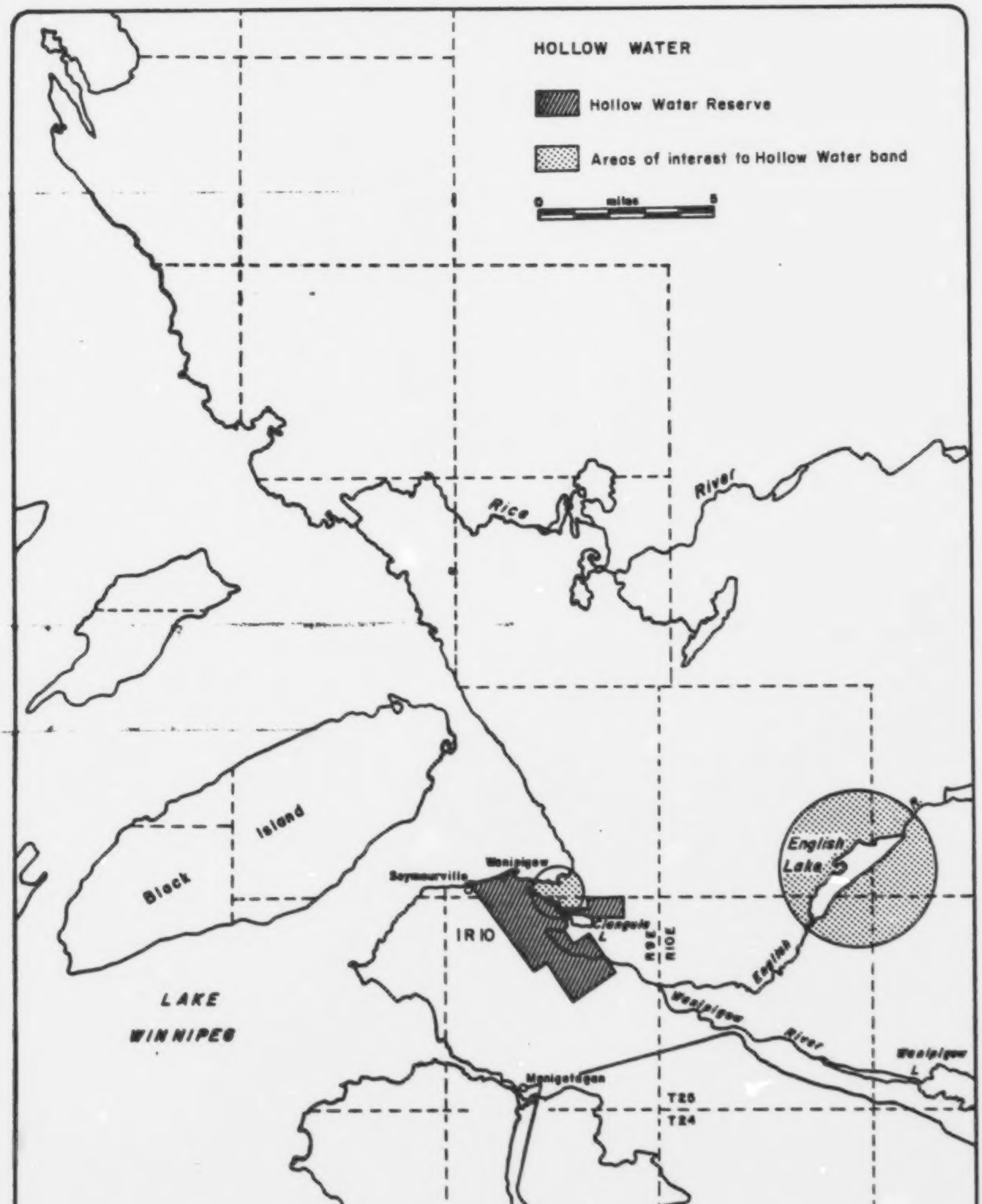
No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

Road Plan #7142 WLTO for the road from west Seymourville to the Hollow Water Reserve was surveyed in 1954 and again in 1958 with the plan being approved by Privy Council Order #1615-1959 dated December 22, 1959. The actual road was constructed after the survey and does not follow the plan of survey. A re-survey is necessary for the revised location and to determine whether a land exchange is necessary.

The access road from #304 to Hollow Water Reserve has not been surveyed. It was built on a 50% Federal and 50% Provincial basis. An operating arrangement exists between the Province and DIAND but there is no formal cost-sharing agreement.

In 1979 agreement was reached between the Department of Highways and DIAND concerning the funding of reconstruction of the access road from PR #304 to the Hollow Water Reserve. Phase I is an engineering study to produce a design and cost estimate. Highways' position is that public funds will not be expended unless Manitoba holds title to the necessary lands.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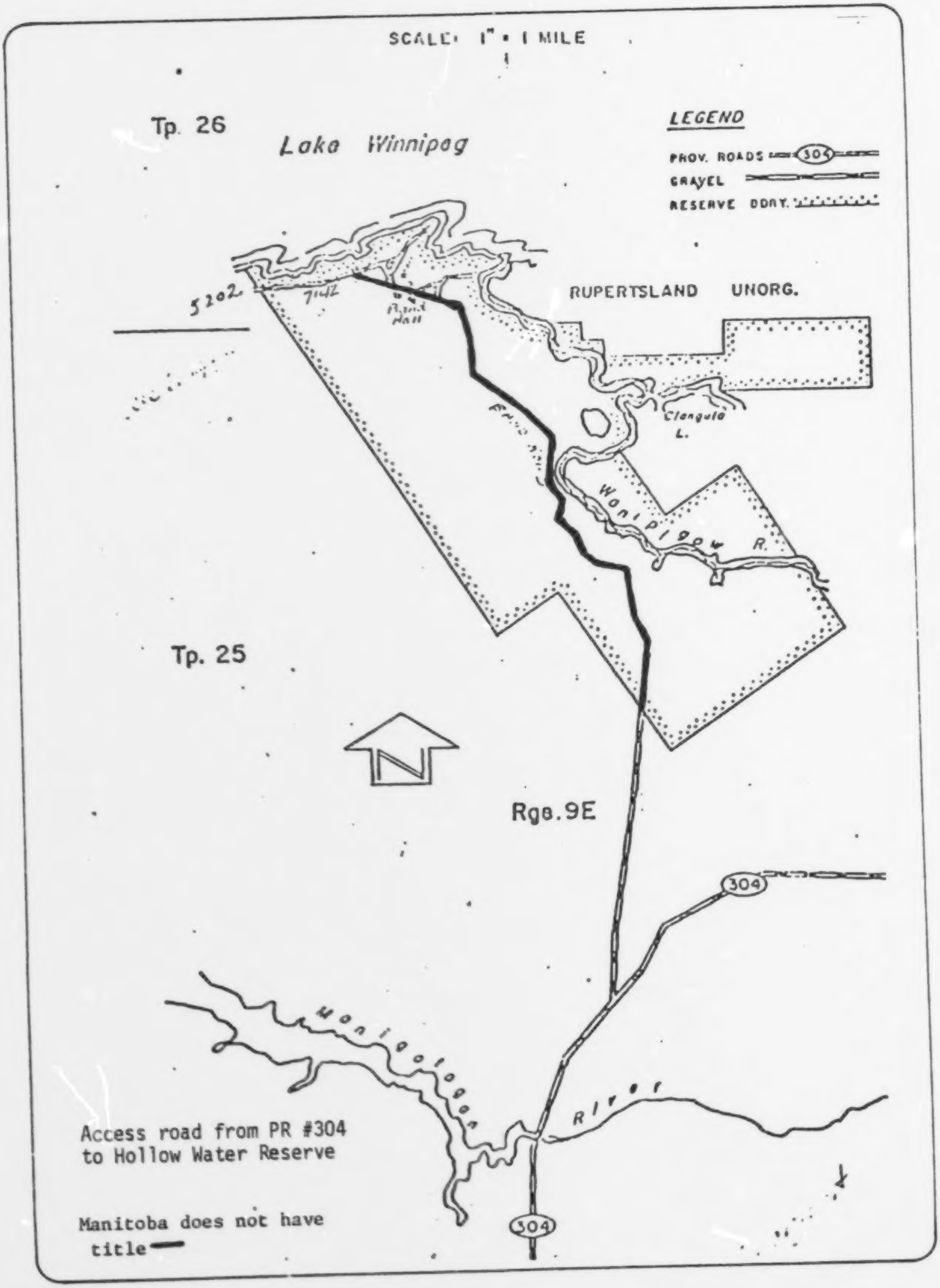
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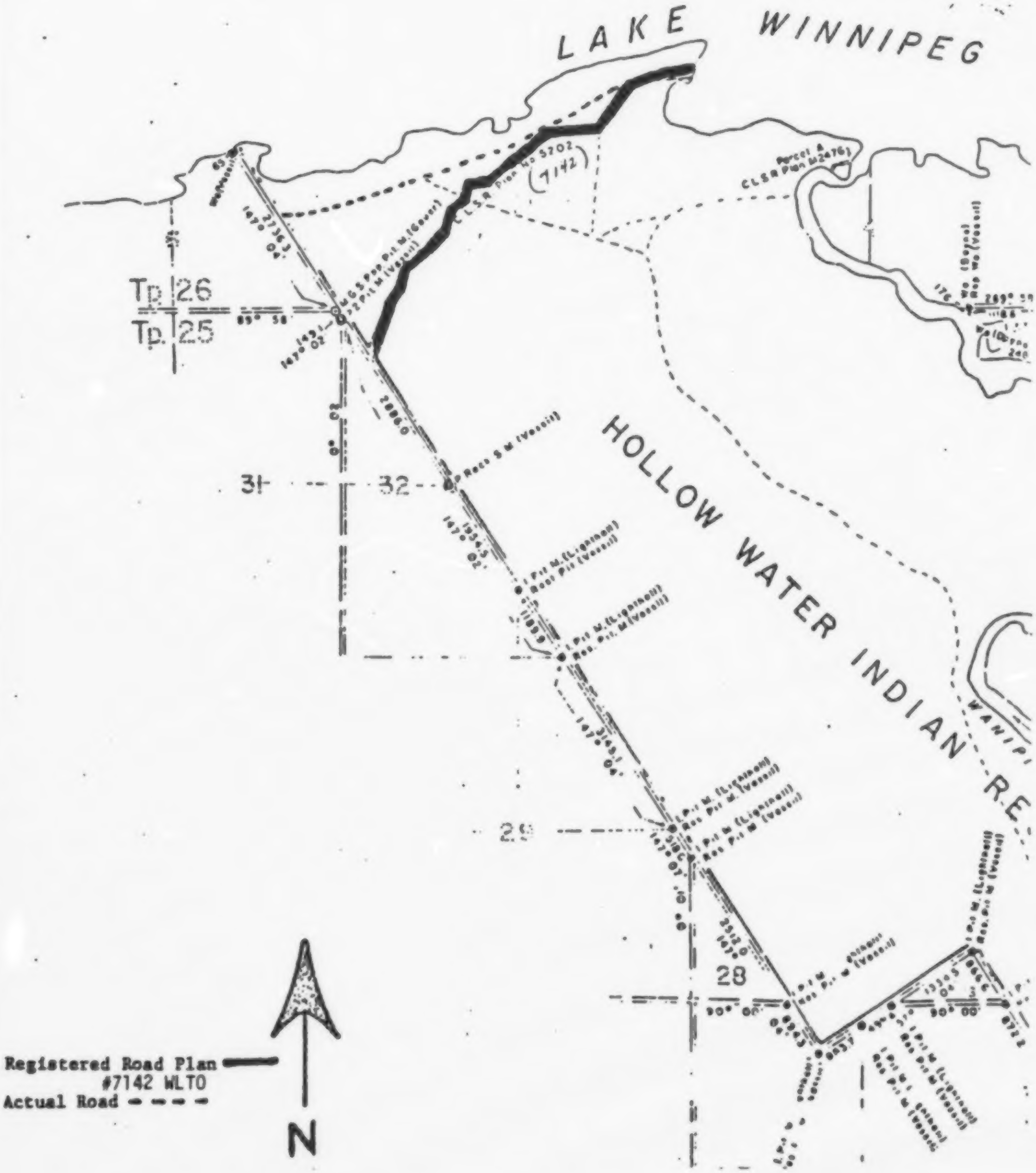
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INDIAN BIRCH

RESERVE: #65 Swan Lake
CHIEF: Charlie Audy
POPULATION: 192 Total
ON-RESERVE: 142
OFF-RESERVE: 50
RESERVE AREA: 1,940 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #4 which entitled it to 640 acres per family of five. At the date of the first survey of the Reserve in 1876, the Band population was 195, entitling the Band to 24,960 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserves in Saskatchewan	24,230 acres
Reserve #65A Dawson Bay Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-1216 dated July 11/95.	5.6 acres
Addition to Reserve #65A Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1752 dated August 5/30.	832.0 acres
Reserve #65B Dawson Bay Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-2208 dated July 25/95.	2,272.0 acres
Reserve #65C Swan Lake Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-1493 dated July 13/95.	1,939.2 acres
Reserve #65D Dog Island Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-2863 dated September 30/95.	275.2 acres
Reserve #65F Dawson Bay	109.0 acres
TOTAL	29,806.4 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: 24,960 - 29,806.0 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

This Band, originally part of the Shoal River Band, divided in September, 1982 with it receiving Swan Lake Indian Reserve #65C.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY LAND ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band will be entitled to some treaty land to be determined by Canada.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

JACKHEAD

RESERVE: #43 & 43A Jackhead
CHIEF: Bill Traverse
POPULATION: 379 Total
ON-RESERVE: 208
OFF-RESERVE: 171
RESERVE AREA: 3,327 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

FLOODING CLAIMS: Negotiations on a land exchange due to alleged flooding from a dam built in 1942 on I.R. #43 is currently taking place with the Jackhead Band.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the date of the first survey of the Reserve in 1884, the Band population was 72, entitling the Band to 2,304 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #43 Jackhead ....2,975.88 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-425 dated February 25/30.

Reserve #43A Jackhead .... 351.3 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1336 dated June 14/30.

TOTAL: 3,326.88

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: 2,304 - 2,326 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

In 1918 the Bloodvein, Hollow Water and Jackhead Bands surrendered their collective interest in the Loon Straits Indian Reserve #11 (1,135 acres) in exchange for an equal acreage, to be proportionately added to the three existing Reserves. The Jackhead Band received 351.3 acres from this exchange in 1930. The remaining compensation went to the Bloodvein and Hollow Water Bands.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

The Band claims that a dam built in 1942 resulted in partial flooding of the band's haylands on I.R. #43A. Land was subsequently reserved for the Band at Spruce Point but the reservation was cancelled in 1983 when it was determined that the area was no longer required.

In August of 1984 the Band submitted a Statement of Grievance to the Province regarding the flooding and requested an acre for acre land exchange as compensation. The proposed exchange would involve I.R. #43A (351.3 acres) in exchange for the same acreage of provincial Crown land adjoining I.R. #43. Government departments and agencies are being circulated regarding this request; however, the land requested by the Band has a number of encumbrances. The Goodman's Landing Fishermens' Association hold a general permit to a portion of the land and the Fisher River Band, who have made a contribution to the development and existence of the fishing station, have objected to the request of the Jackhead Band for the land in this area. By BCR of October 28, 1985 the Fisher River Band requested a meeting to discuss the matter. As well, Abitibi Pulpwood and Manitoba Hydro hold general permits in this area. The Band will attempt to enter into agreements with these third parties before a land exchange will be considered.

Negotiations on this land exchange are currently inactive.

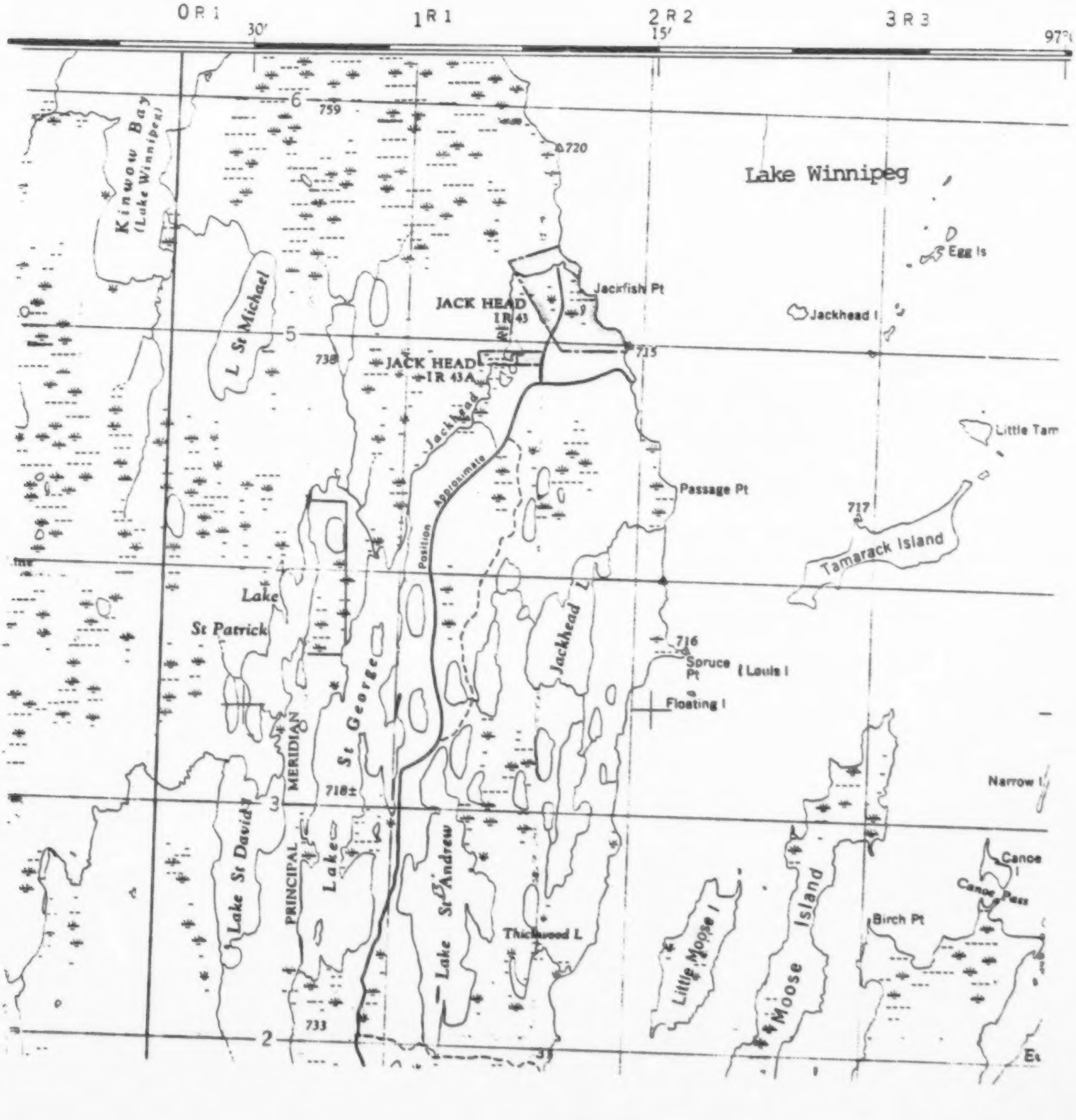
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

JACKHEAD INDIAN RESERVES #43 & 43A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KEESEEKOOWENIN

RESERVE:	#61 Keeseekoowenin #61B Bottle Lake
CHIEF:	Norman Bonese
POPULATION:	437 Total
ON-RESERVE:	230
OFF-RESERVE:	207
RESERVE AREA:	5,343 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #2 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the date of the first survey of the Reserve in 1875, the Band population was 161, entitling the Band to 5,152 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #61 Keeseekoowenin.........................5,600 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1889-1151 dated May 17/89.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: 5,152 - 5,600 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

Reserve #61A (Clear Lake) was confirmed by OC/PC 1896-2472 dated July 8, 1896 and contained 748.2 acres. This Reserve was rescinded by OC/PC 1934-3237 dated December 22, 1934. The rescinding Order declared the confirmed Order legally ineffective and granted the Band monies as compensation. This Reserve has not been included in treaty entitlement calculations, although "surrender" has been questioned from time to time. It is anticipated the Band will make a claim against the Federal Government.

Reserve #61B (Bottle Lake) as confirmed by OC/PC 1914-282 dated January 30/14, containing 100 acres, was established in exchange for 30 acres of flooded lands in the then existing Reserve #61A.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

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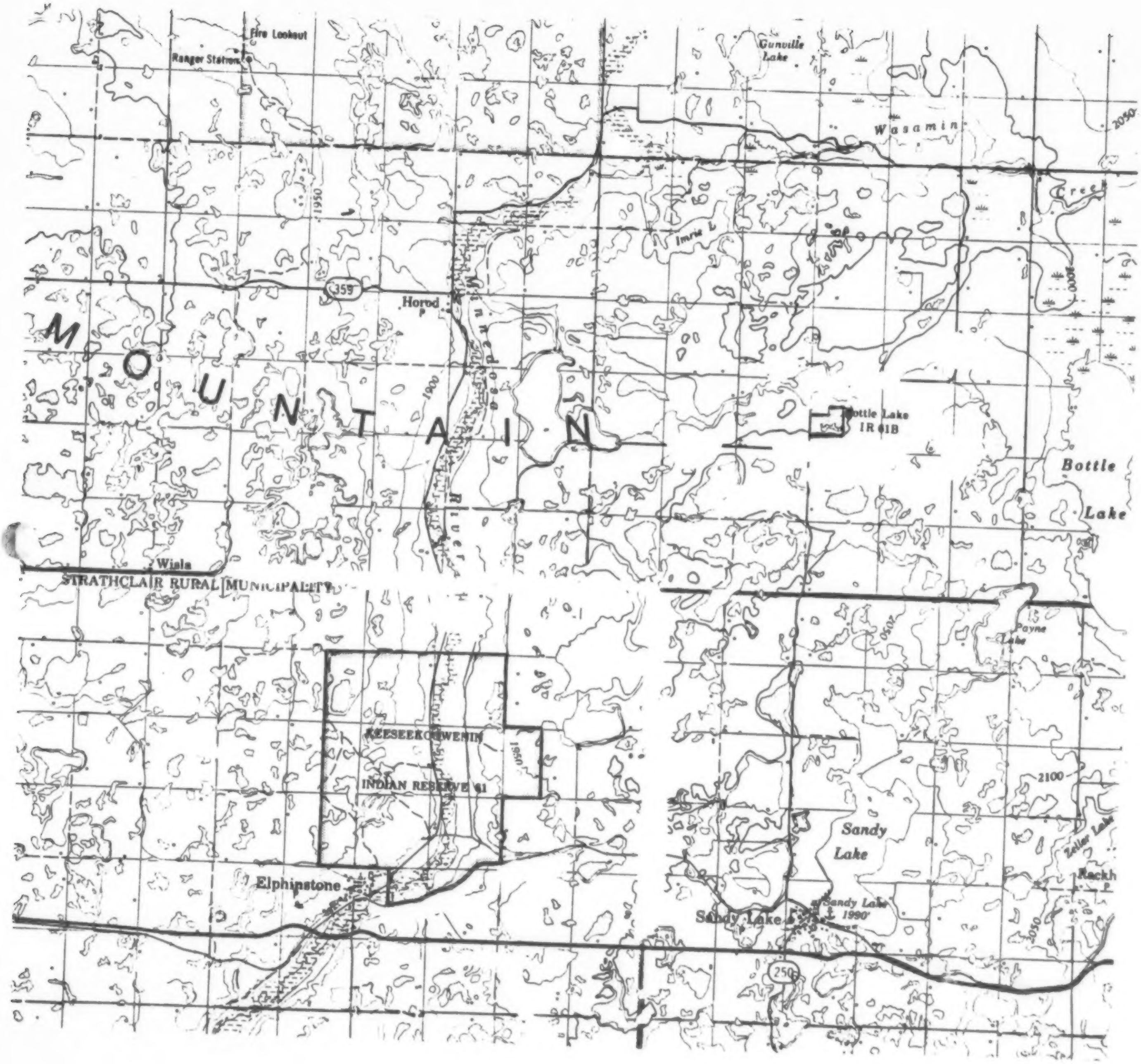
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LAKE MANITOBA

RESERVE:	#46 Dog Creek
CHIEF:	Raymond Swan
POPULATION:	798 Total
ON-RESERVE:	561
OFF-RESERVE:	237
RESERVE AREA:	9,427 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #2 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the date of the first survey of the Reserve in 1878, the Band population was 218, entitling the Band to 6,976 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #46 Dog Creek..............................9,427 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1917-167 dated January 20/17.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: 6,976 - 9,427 = Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

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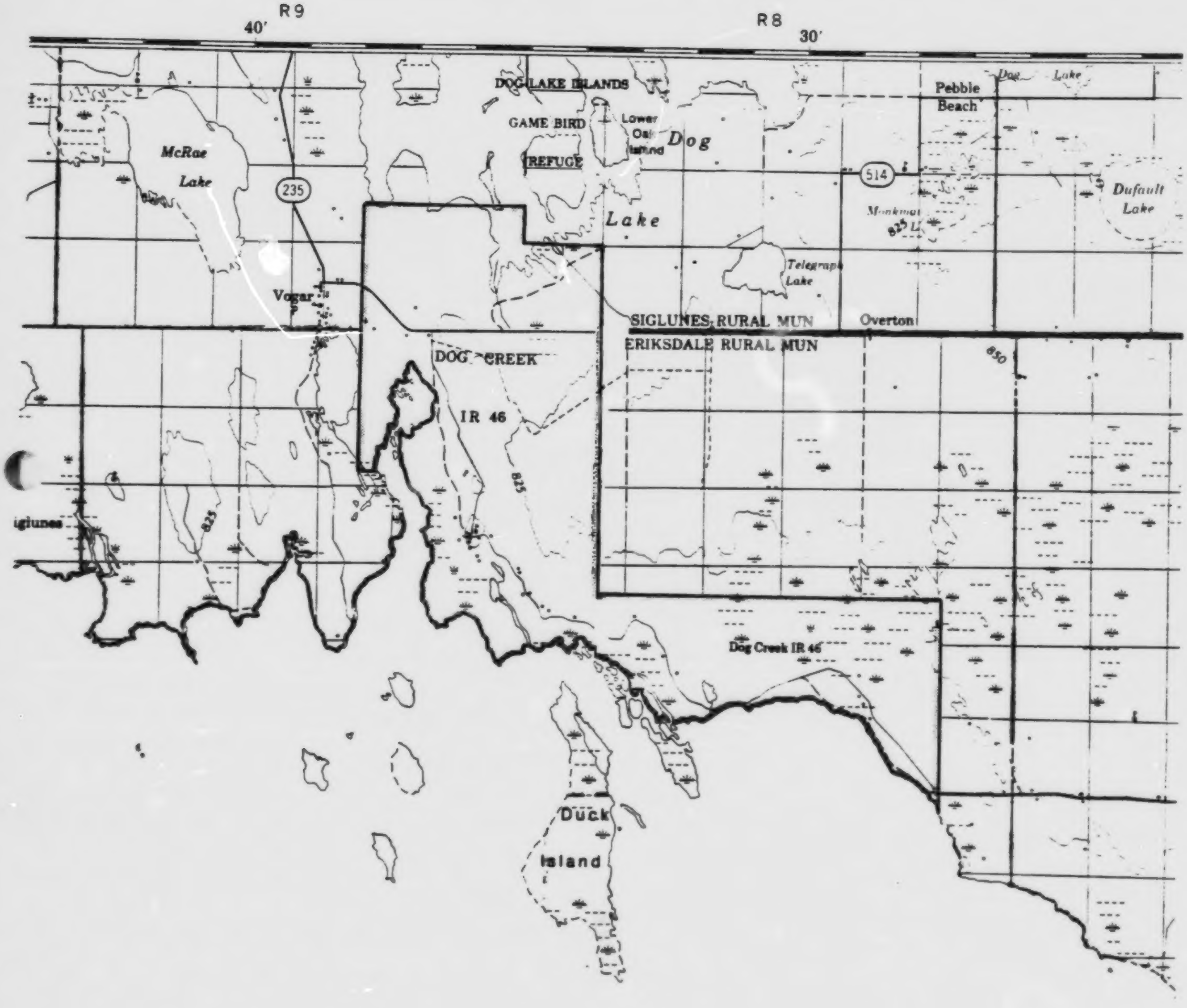
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RESERVE:	#49 and 49A The Narrows
CHIEF:	David Earle Traverse
POPULATION:	1,045 Total
ON-RESERVE:	539
OFF-RESERVE:	506
RESERVE AREA:	8,245 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #2 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the date of the first survey of the Reserve in 1985, the Band population was 77, entitling the Band to 2,464 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #49 The Narrows............................4,032 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-2876 dated November 21/13.

Addition to #49 ....1,902.9 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-1606 dated July 1/13.

Addition to #49 .... 690.5 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1929-350 dated February 27/79.
(Allotted over and above entitlement)

Reserve #49A The Narrows .... 524.1 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1923-2071 dated October 12/13.

TOTAL 7,149.5 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

2,464 - 6,549 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

In 1977 an addition to Reserve #49 was made as partial compensation for flooding:

Addition to #49 The Narrows .... 1,735,6 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1977-2400 dated August 31, 1977.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOOD CLAIMS

No claims to date.

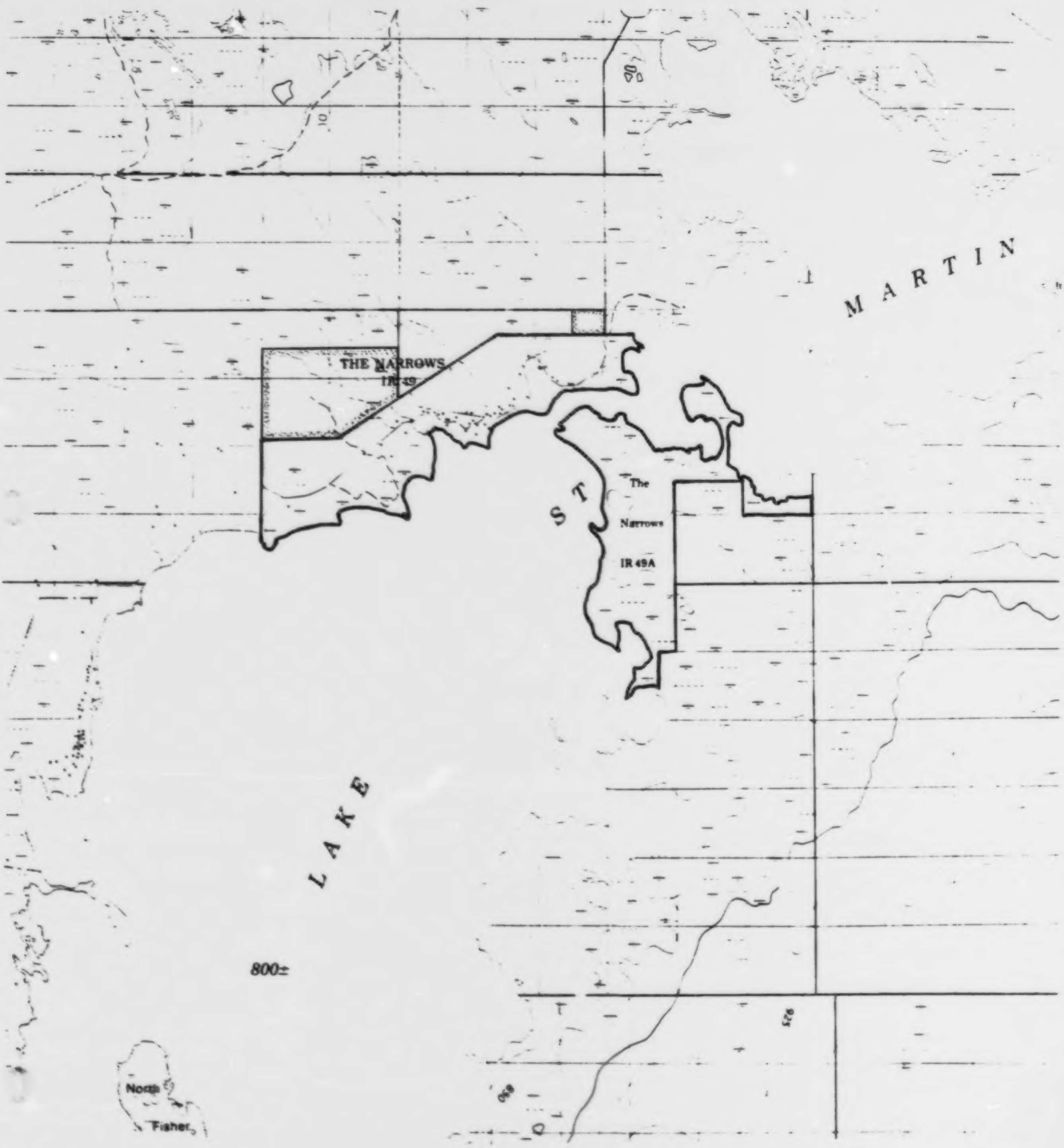
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

LAKE ST. MARTIN INDIAN RESERVE #49 & 49A THE NARROWS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LITTLE BLACK RIVER

RESERVE:	#9 Black River
CHIEF:	Harry Bird
POPULATION:	391 Total
ON-RESERVE:	272
OFF-RESERVE:	119
RESERVE AREA:	2,277 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the date of the first survey of the Reserve in 1878, the Band population was 51, entitling the Band to 1,632 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #9 Black River.............................2,000 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-430 dated February 25/30.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

1,632 - 2,130 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

The 147 acre site of the Methodist Mission, originally surveyed out of the Reserve was subsequently transferred to Reserve status by OC/PC 1975-1636 dated July 17, 1975.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

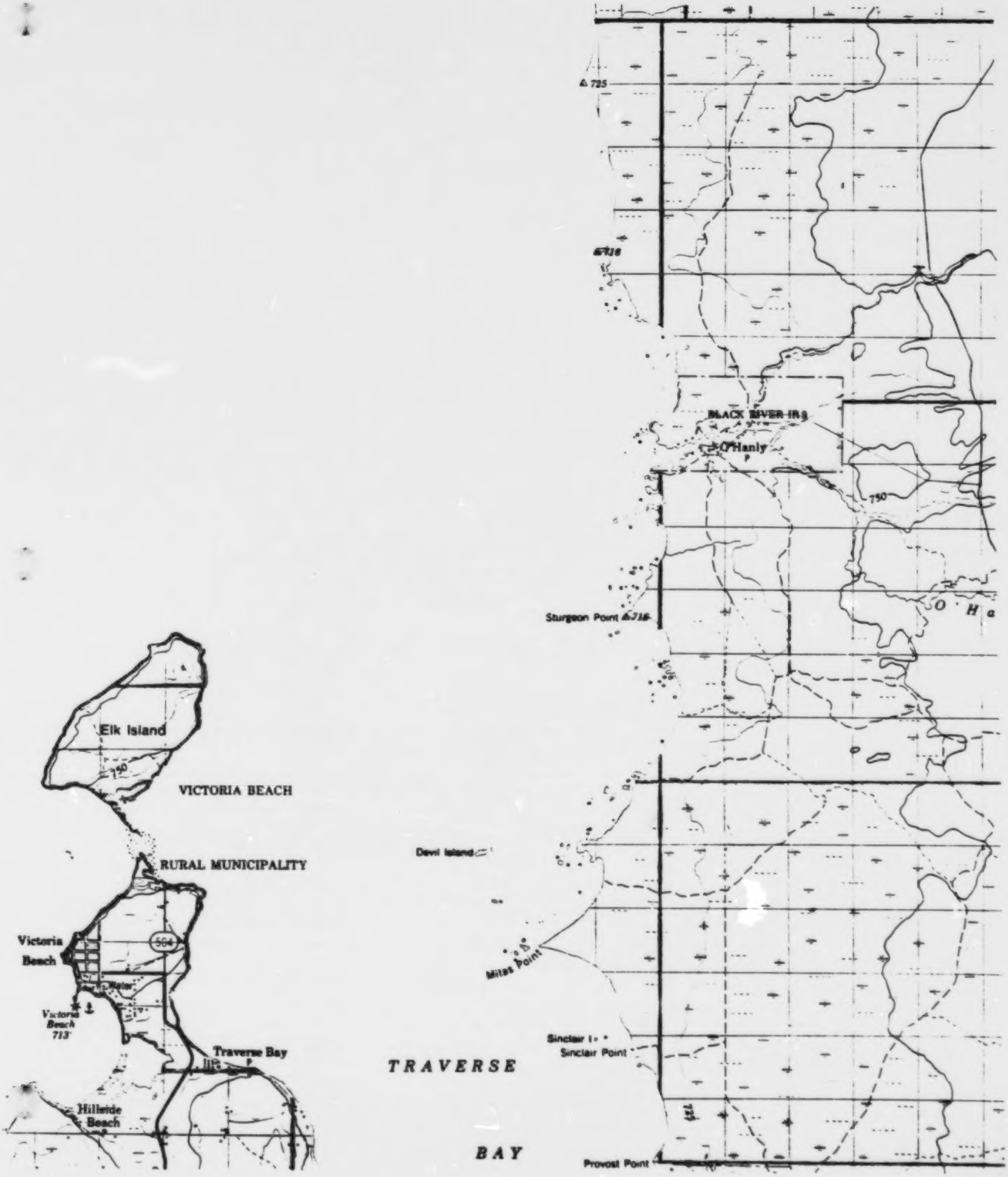
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

LITTLE BLACK RIVER INDIAN RESERVE #9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LITTLE GRAND RAPIDS

RESERVE:	#14 Little Grand Rapids
CHIEF:	Enil Keeper
POPULATION:	1,085 Total
ON-RESERVE:	652
OFF-RESERVE:	433
RESERVE AREA:	5,600 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

The Band requested a land exchange to allow for the establishment of a Reserve at Paungassi involving 640 acres.

I. TREATY

This Band was part of the Berens River Band at the time of the signing of the treaty and first survey of their Reserve. For treaty entitlement purposes, this Band is treated with the Berens River and Poplar River Bands as one entity. The Band has no recognized outstanding treaty entitlement.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

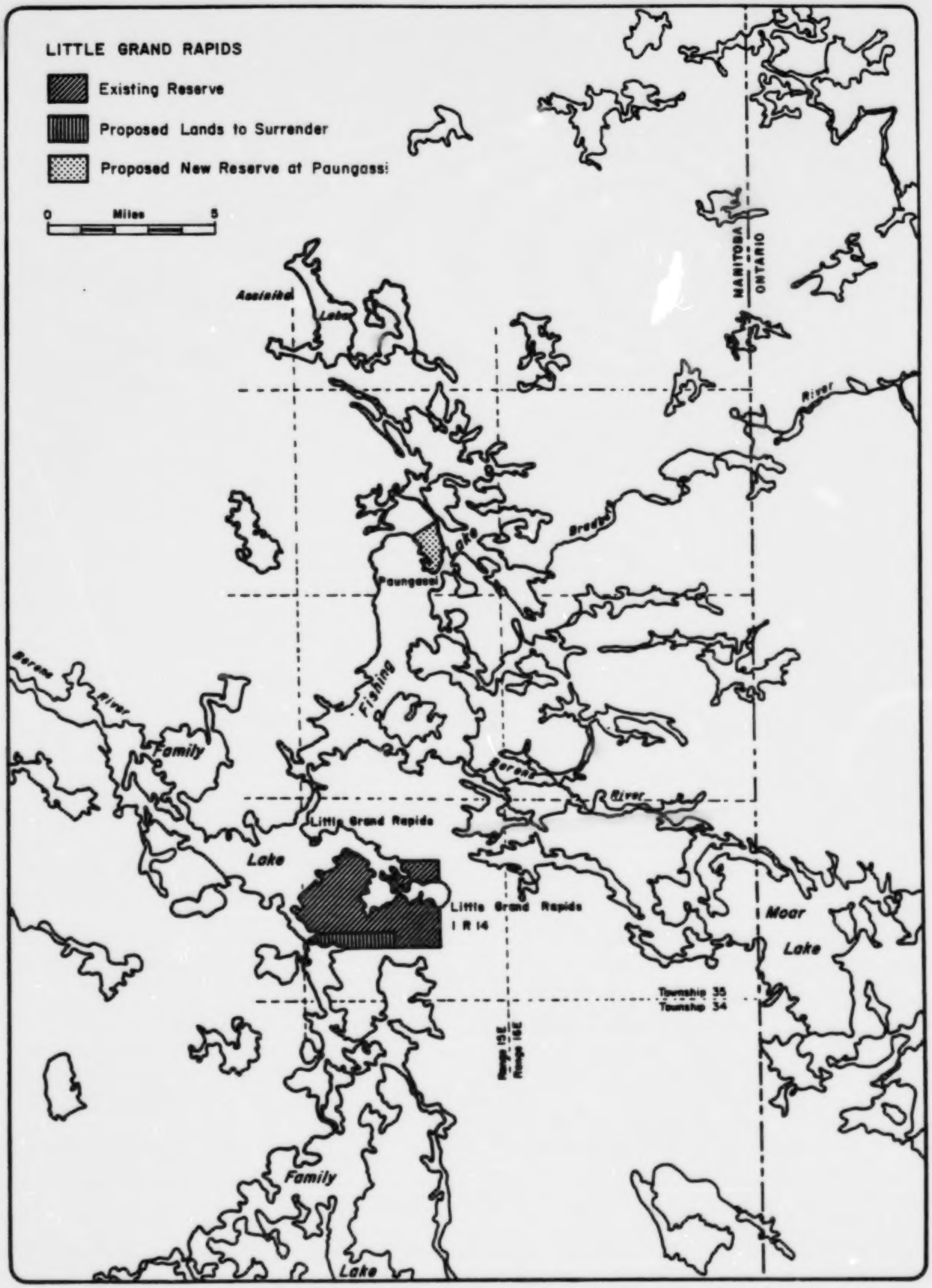
The Band has requested a land exchange to allow for the establishment of a separate Reserve at Pauingassi. By BCR dated February 13, 1975 the Band agreed to a 1 for 1 land exchange, indicating a willingness to surrender 640 acres of the southeastern portion of the existing Reserve #14 in exchange for lands at Pauingassi.

Third party interests on the land at Pauingassi are being dealt with and existing permit areas will be transferred to Canada as part of the land exchange. A Memorandum of Agreement has been drawn up whereby Canada would assume all future liabilities in connection with the land to be transferred at Pauingassi.

Manitoba has transferred 643.6 acres by O/C #156 dated February 4, 1987. A federal Privy Council order is necessary to complete this transaction.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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LITTLE SASKATCHEWAN

RESERVE: #48 & 48B Little Saskatchewan
CHIEF: Dennis Shorting
POPULATION: 464 Total
ON-RESERVE: 280
OFF-RESERVE: 184
RESERVE AREA: 3,480 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

FLOODING CLAIMS: The Province is in the process of fulfilling the terms of compensation for flooding, as set out in an agreement with the Band and the Federal Government, signed in 1975.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #2 entitling it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1881 the Band population was 100, entitling the Band to 3,200 acres.

The Dauphin River Band and Reserve #48A were part of the Little Saskatchewan Band until May 13, 1977 when the Band and Reserve were officially recognized as separate. For the purposes of treaty entitlement, these two bands can be treated as one entity.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Rserve #48 Little Saskatchewan Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1107 dated May 23/30.	3,200.0 acs.
Addition to #48 Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-1607 dated July 11/13.	76.9
Reserve #48A Dauphin River Confirmed by OC/PC 1921-3866 dated October 22/21.	821.0
Reserve #48B Little Saskatchewan Confirmed by OC/PC 1929-349 dated February 27/29	240.6
TOTAL	4,338.5 acs.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

3,200 - 4,388.5 = Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

Some Reserve lands are subject to flooding, partly as a result of the operation of the Fairford River Water Control Works. In 1975 the Band, the Federal and Provincial Governments signed an agreement to compensate for this flooding. Under the terms of this agreement the Band will receive approximately 1,600 acres of additional Reserve lands.

In accordance with the agreement, the Department of Agriculture has cleared and developed certain of the exchange lands of which part are located within the LGD of Grahamdale. The LGD of Grahamdale land exchange was completed per OC #105/83 dated February 3, 1983.

OC #828/83 dated July 27, 1983 authorized transfer of 1,605.59 acres of land to Canada for the use and benefit of the Little Saskatchewan Band. This transfer will fulfil the Province's commitment to compensate the Band for the flooding of Reserve lands due to the operation of the Fairford River water control structure. A federal PC Order will be issued after Canada delineates flood limits.

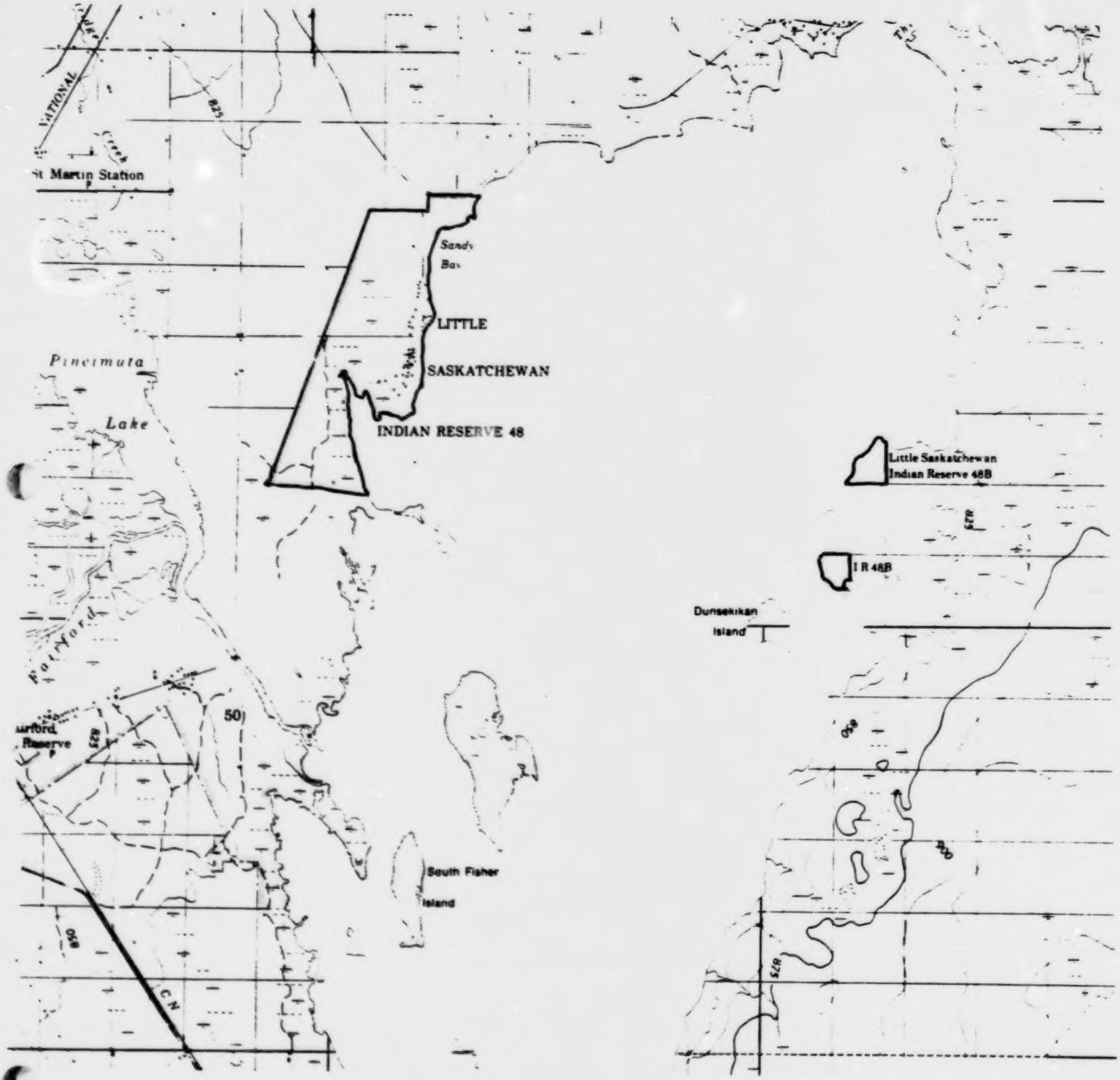
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

LITTLE SASKATCHEWAN INDIAN RESERVE #48 & 48B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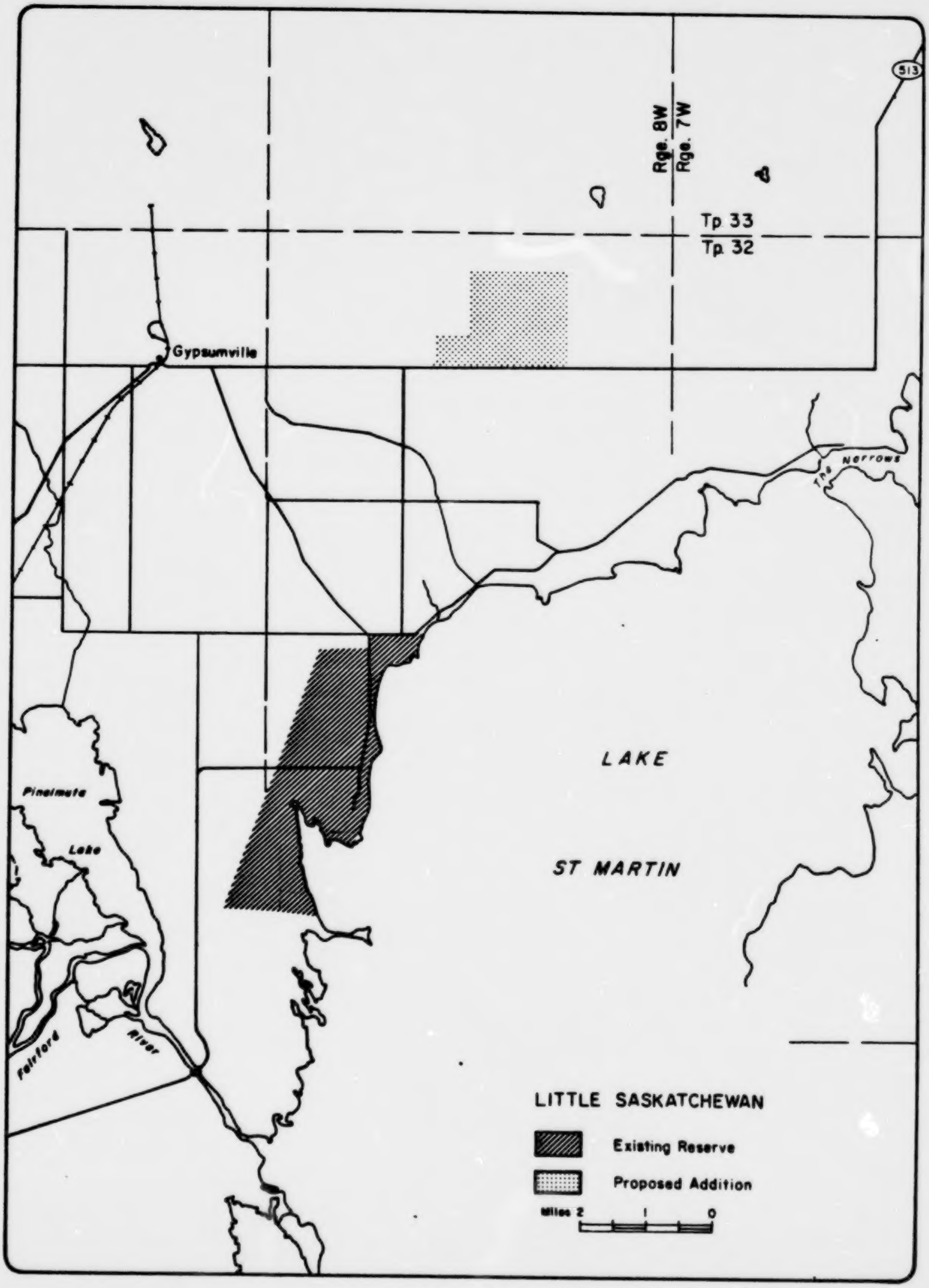
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LONG PLAINS

RESERVE: #6 Long Plains
CHIEF: John Meechas
POPULATION: 1,338 Total
ON-RESERVE: 570
OFF-RESERVE: 768
RESERVE AREA: 8,928 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #1 as part of the old Portage Band. As a signatory to the Treaty, the Band was entitled to 160 acres per family of five, but the Treaty also made special provision for an additional area of 25 square miles (16,000 acres) for this Band. At the time of the first survey of the Reserves in 1876, the Portage Band had split into three separate Bands: The Long Plains, Sandy Bay and Swan Lake Bands. It was decided that the total treaty entitlement for the Portage Band should be apportioned to the three separate Bands according to their population. At that date, the Long Plains Band totalled 209 members plus 10 absentees, entitling it to 7,008 acres, plus 35.6% of the additional 16,00 acres inasmuch as the Long Plans Band comprised 35.6% of the former Portage Band membership. The Band's total entitlement then was 12,704 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #6 Long Plains .... 10,880 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-2876 dated November 21/13.

Addition to Reserve #6 .... 45 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1981-2179 dated August 14/81.......

TOTAL 10,925 acs.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

12,705 - 10,925 = 1,780 acres

4) REMARKS

The three Bands that comprised the original Portage Band collectively received acreage exceeding their total treaty entitlement, including the special provision for an additional 25 square miles. However, this total acreage was divided unevenly, leaving the Long Plains and Swan Lake Bands with outstanding entitlement, but the Sandy Bay Band with an excess of 5,000 acres more than its share.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band has not made any request for additional treaty lands.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

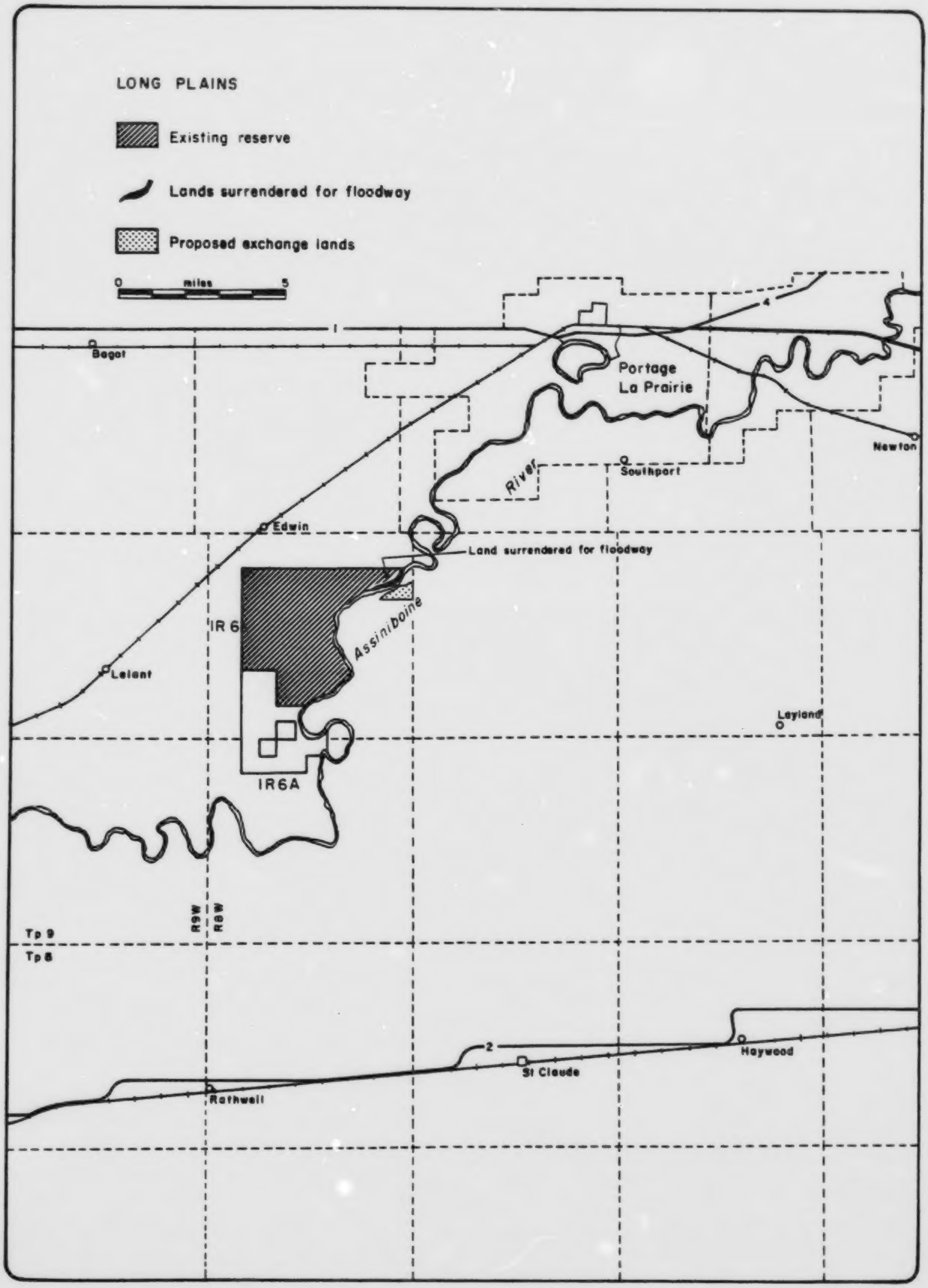
No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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MATHIAS COLOMB

RESERVES:	#198 Pukatawagan #199 High Rock
CHIEF:	Frank Dumas
POPULATION:	1,585 Total
ON-RESERVE:	1,266
OFF-RESERVE:	319
RESERVE AREA:	23,258 acres Jan/86

CURRENT ISSUES

TREATY: The Band has an outstanding treaty entitlement of 20,127 acres and has formally selected lands at Hughes Lake.

AIRSTRIP: The Band has agreed to a land exchange to accommodate the Pukata wagan airstrip. The Band has tentatively identified exchange lands at The Province may opt to pursue a lease agreement for the airstrip instead.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #6 which entitled it to 640 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1929, the Band population was 339. This entitled the Band to:

339 x 640/3 = 43,392 acres

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #198 Pukatawagan.......................... 3,797 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1974-157 dated January 23/74.

Reserve #199 High Rock........................... 19,468 acres

TOTAL 23,265 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

43,392 - 23,265 20,127 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

By BCR dated March 12, 1981 members of the Band residing in and around Lynn Lake requested 5,000 acres at Hughes Lake. This request was initially circularized in 1982 and was again circularized in January, 1983 following the revision of the original request. As of August, 1983 the Band's Hughes Lake request has been reduced to 3,320 acres. It has since been determined that the size of the parcel is 3,765 acres by a recent survey. Negotitions for transfer are proceeding.

III. AIRSTRIPS

By BCR dated August 4, 1976 the Band agreed to surrender lands at Pukatawagan required for an airstrip. The airstrip plan has been registered as #6062 NLTO. The Band requested a 2:1 land exchange including mines and minerals and tentatively selected lands at Pawistik, Mile 94 of the Hudson Bay Railway. Mines Branch does not approve of any mineral exchange on a greater than 1:1 ratio and Mineral Resources Division recommends that exchanges of Crown lands for Reserve lands required for public works be exclusive of mineral rights. There is a possibility that the airstrip may be leased or transferred to Manitoba without a land exchange.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

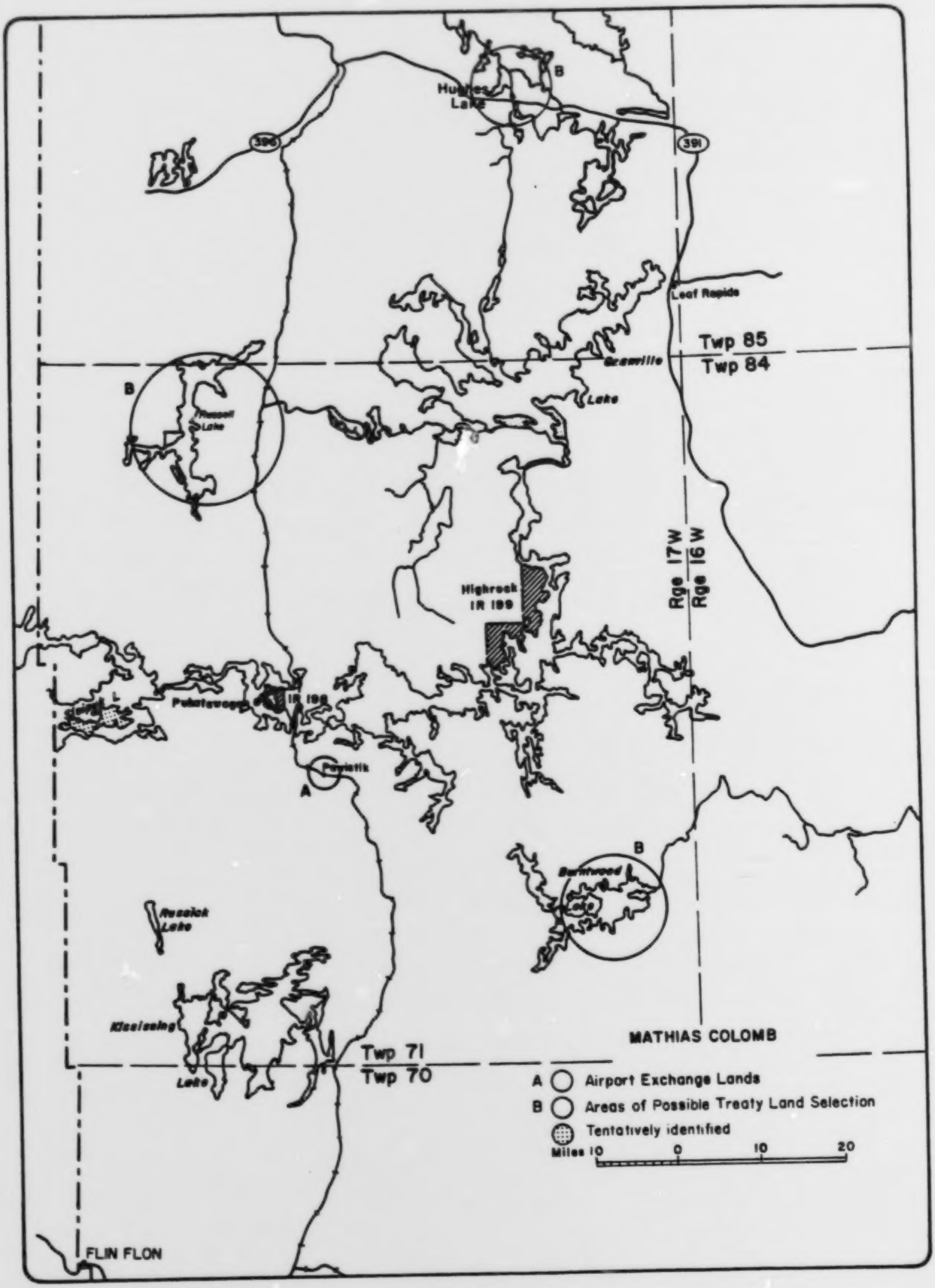
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No current requests for land exchanges.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

Manitoba has submitted a draft easement agreement for the portage to Canada for review. The proposed reserve has been surveyed and a legal description will be forthcoming for incorporation into an Order-in-Council.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RESERVES:	31C,31G,31J Moose Lake
CHIEF:	Jim Tobacco
POPULATION:	420 Total
ON-RESERVE:	364
OFF-RESERVE:	56
RESERVE AREA:	5,594 acres (Jan./86)

CURRENT ISSUES

FLOODING: The Band is still to select lands in exchange for the Grand Rapids Forebay flooding of their Reserve in the early 1960's. By O/C #779/80 dated July 30, 1980, 469.1 acres were transferred to Canada for the Band. The Band has indicated an interest in selecting remaining acreages at William River and Talbot Lake, and has requested a 95 acre extension to Indian Reserve #31G. Some of the transferred lands are in an area affected by the regulation of water levels under the operation of Manitoba Hydro's Grand Rapids Final Water Power Licenses. At the time of transfer, no provision was made for obtaining an easement on the transferred lands.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1984, the Band population was 122. This entitled the Band to:

122 x 160/5 = 3,904 acres

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #31A Moose Lake	456 acres
Reserve #31B Moose Lake	148 acres
Reserve #31C Moose Lake	2,735 acres
Reserve #31D Moose Lake	124 acres
Reserve #31E Moose Lake	200 acres

ALL confirmed by OC/PC 1895-3027 dated October 18/95.

Reserve #31F Moose Lake	319 acres
Held under C/T #42422 dated May 26/31 TOTAL	3,982 acres

Reserve #31G Crossing Bay	2,703 acres

Confirmed by OC/PC 1971-990 dated May 25/71

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

3,904 - 3,982 = Nil

4) REMARKS

The original Reserve #31 was 7,232 acres. It was never confirmed as a Reserve, but was surrendered in exchange for 31A, B, C, D, and E by OC/PC 1895-3027.

Only 1,473 acres of 31C and 6 acres of 31A remains of the original Reserve (SEE: Flooding Claims).

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY LAND ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

WILLIAM LAKE:

The original survey of this proposed Reserve excluded the Department of Renewable Resources and Transportation Services fish spawning station, th Moose Lake Co-Op fish packing plant, and their access roads. By mutual agreement, the fish spawning station was relocated further south on the lake, and a new access road was constructed, both outside the proposed Reserve boundaries. The Band requested inclusion of the Co-Op fish packing plant and its access road in the proposed Reserve. O/C #779/80 dated July 30, 1980 transferred 469.1 acres to Canada for the Band with the Co-Op fish packing plant and access roads excluded.

WILLIAM RIVER:

The Band has requested that this selection be deferred until the William Lake parcel is transferred.

LITTLE LIMESTONE LAKE:

O/C #1356/75 dated October 29, 1975 transferred 1,388.29 acres to Canada for the Band subject to the right of ingress and egress of agents of the Crown (Manitoba) over certain parcels to maintain ditches and drains.

REMAINING ENTITLEMENT:

By BCR dated March 2, 1983 the Band requested an addition of 95 acres as an extension to Crossing Bay Reserve #31G. Government departments and agencies were circularized regarding this request. Responses to the circular recommended that the proposed transfer should include revision of the boundaries to exclude all lands below elevation of 848 feet (because of possible flooding) and within 250 feet of the shoreline of South Moose Lake as this area is required by Manitoba Hydro. As well, the Province would retain the right of way for the all-weather road, all Crown land lying to the north of it and a 300-foot area to the south. Once the severance line is established, Water Resources will be agreeable to the withdrawal of the Licence and Reserve.

A flood easement is also required by Manitoba Hydro at I.R. #31G.

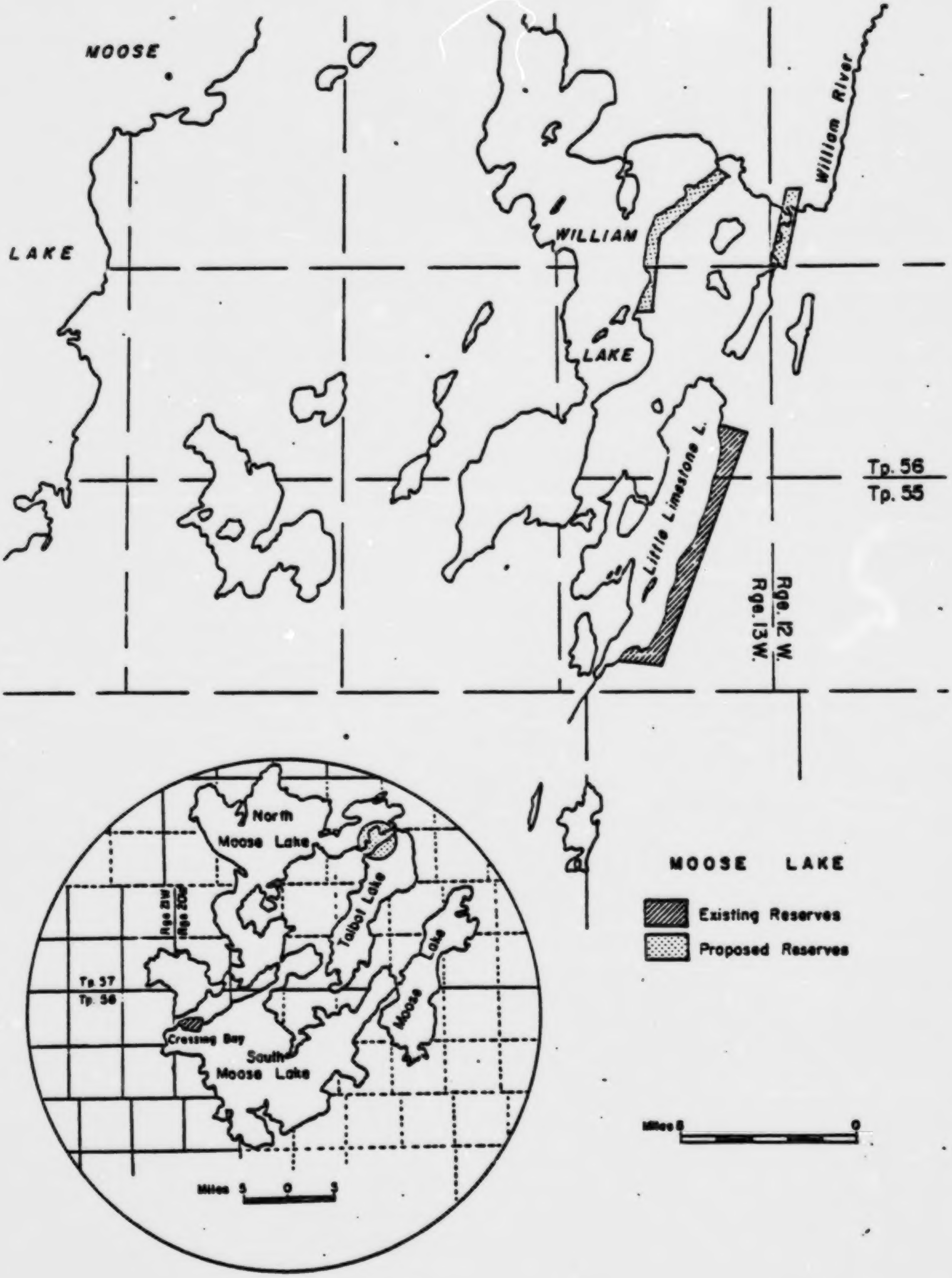
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

The band is expected to be selecting its remaining flood compensation lands in the Summerberry area at Red Earth Lake.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NELSON HOUSE

RESERVES: #170, A,B,C Nelson House
CHIEF: Rodney Spence
POPULATION: 2,513 Total
ON-RESERVE: 1,467
OFF-RESERVE: 1,046
RESERVE AREA: 14,451 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

FLOODING: The Nelson House Band has a flooding claim arising from the Northern Flood Agreement. The land exchange for the flooded area will be based on a 4:1 ratio, including mineral rights. Under Article 3 of the Northern Flood Agreement, the Band is entitled to approximately 13,040 acres of exchange land as part of the compensation for Reserve lands affected by the Lake Winnipeg Churchill River Diversion.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve, the Band population was 438. This entitled the Band to:

456 x 160/5 = 14,592 acres

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #170 Nelson House	4,589 acres
Reserve #170 A Nelson House	2,870 acres
Reserve #170 B Nelson House	6,985 acres
Reserve #170 C Nelson House	8 acres
TOTAL	14,452 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

14,592 - 14,452 = 140

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band has selected 6 acres of old Methodist Mission property adjacent to their reserve by BCR dated December 16/85. Negotiations are pending.

III. AIRSTRIPS

There is an emergency airstrip location on Reserve land, not licensed. By authority of BCR dated June 15, 1968 the Band permits the use of this land by the Province for emergency airstrip purposes.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

The Northern Flood Agreement signed in 1977 recognized flood damage to part of the Nelson House Reserve as a result of Manitoba Hydro developments and provided the terms of compensation. The terms include a land exchange of 4 acres of Crown land including mineral rights, for each acre of Reserve land required for water storage purposes. In addition, the Band selected a "hold area" under the agreement of 1,200,000 acres.

The latest available figures indicate that 3,260 acres of Nelson House Reserve lands are affected, entitling this Band to 13,040 acres of additional Reserve lands. The severance line report for Nelson House has been completed and sent to the Band for review.

By way of a copy of the "Land Exchange Land Use Study" prepared for the Northern Flood Committee by Hilderman, Witty Crosby, Hanna & Associates, and received on October 12, 1983, the Band has requested the transfer of 35 parcels totalling 13,720 acres according to Article 3, and two hold areas totalling 1,196,800 acres according to Article 4. Government departments and agencies have been circularized regarding this request.

At present, the Band has selected the following:

35 land exchange selections	11,420 acres
2 hold areas	1,196,800 acres
Approved hold area	95,000 acres

The Northern Flood Committee and Manitoba are attempting to reach an agreement on a mutually acceptable process for transferring exchange lands and designating "hold areas".

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

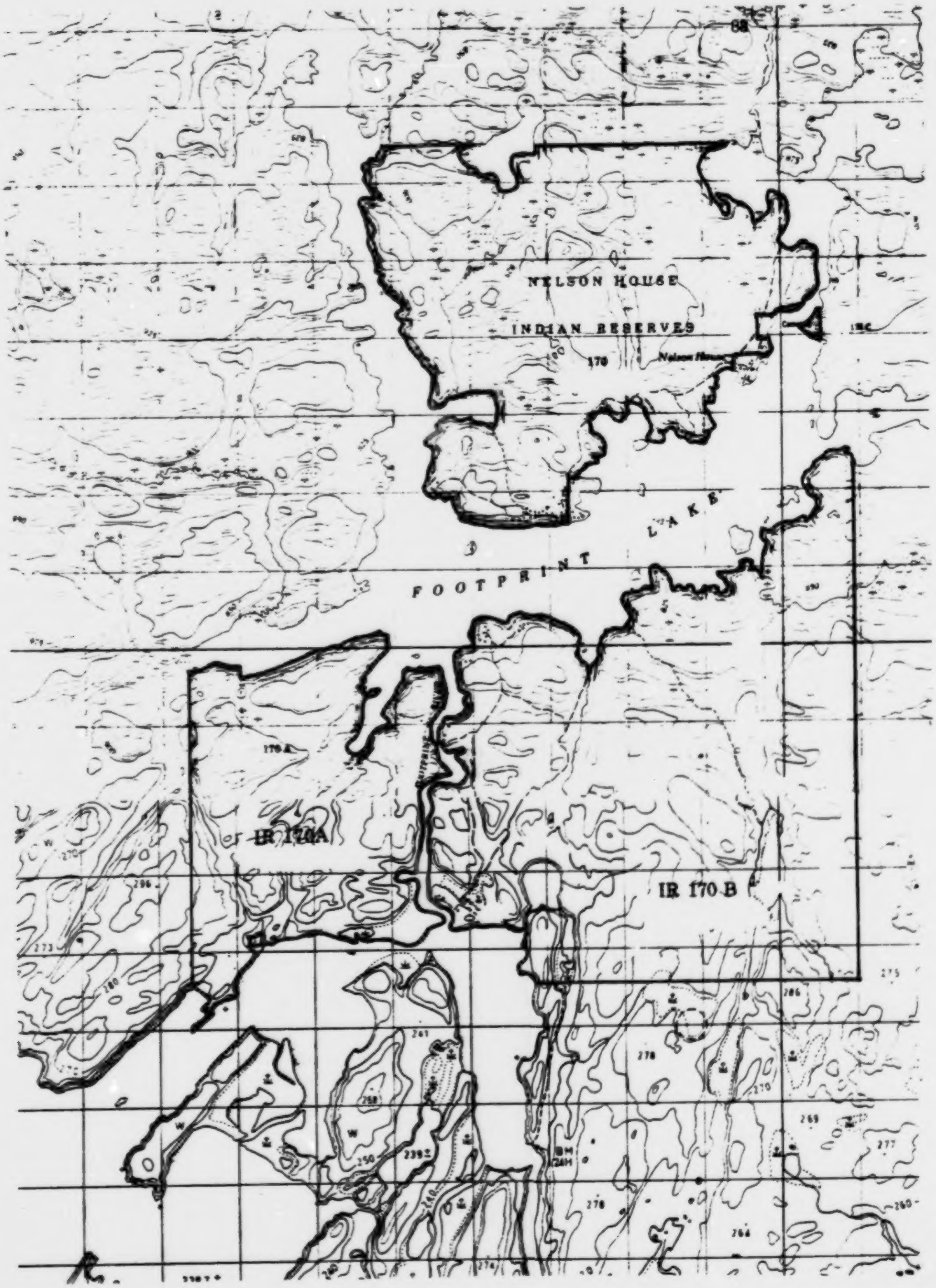
No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

The Band has confirmed 12 Article 3 land exchange selections. Approval-in-principle to transfer is being solicited from Cabinet by Northern Affairs. The Notigi site may be permitted to the band as an interim measure to enable the Band to receive development funds.

NELSON HOUSE INDIAN RESERVES #170, A, B, C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NELSON HOUSE
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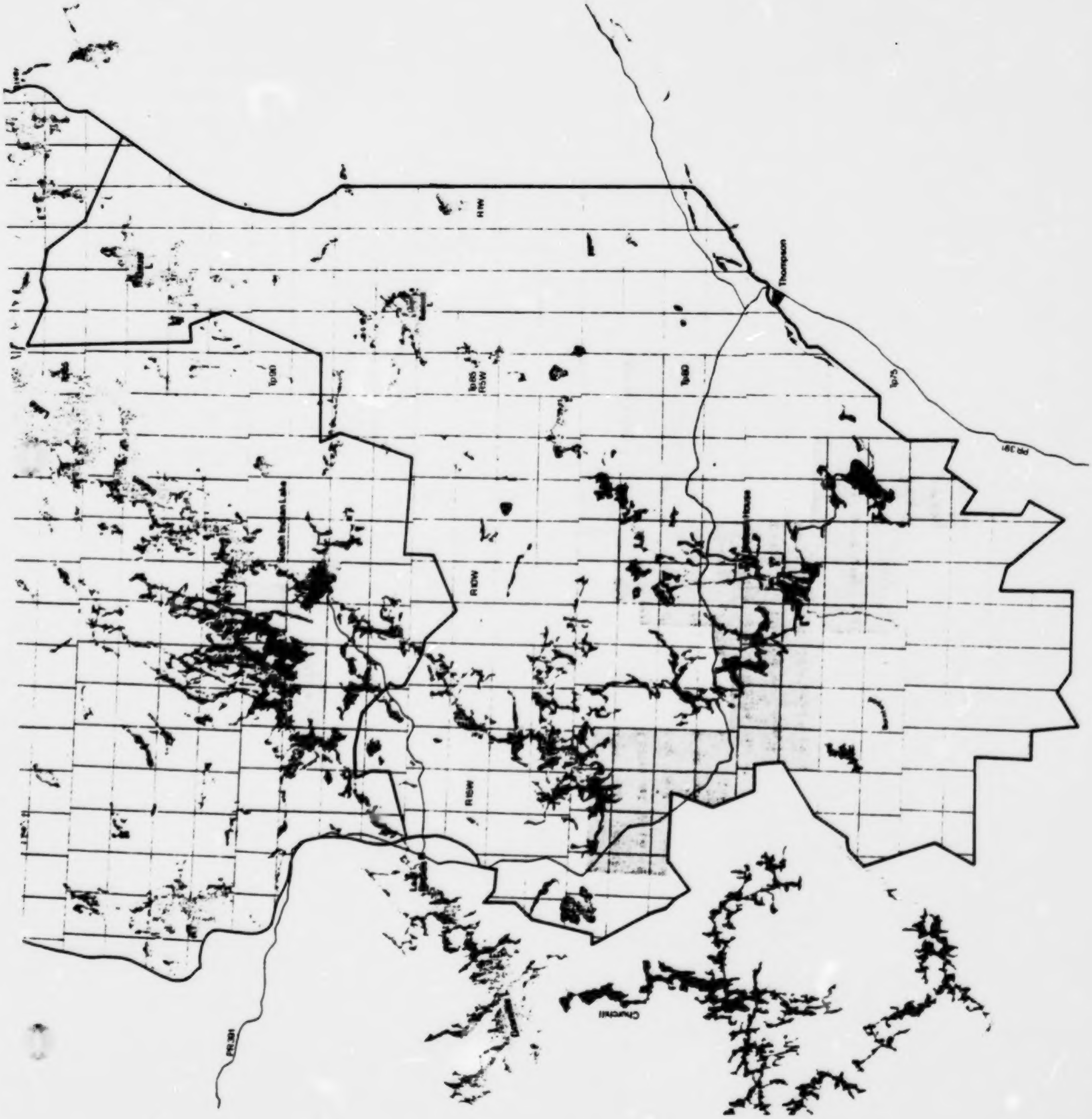
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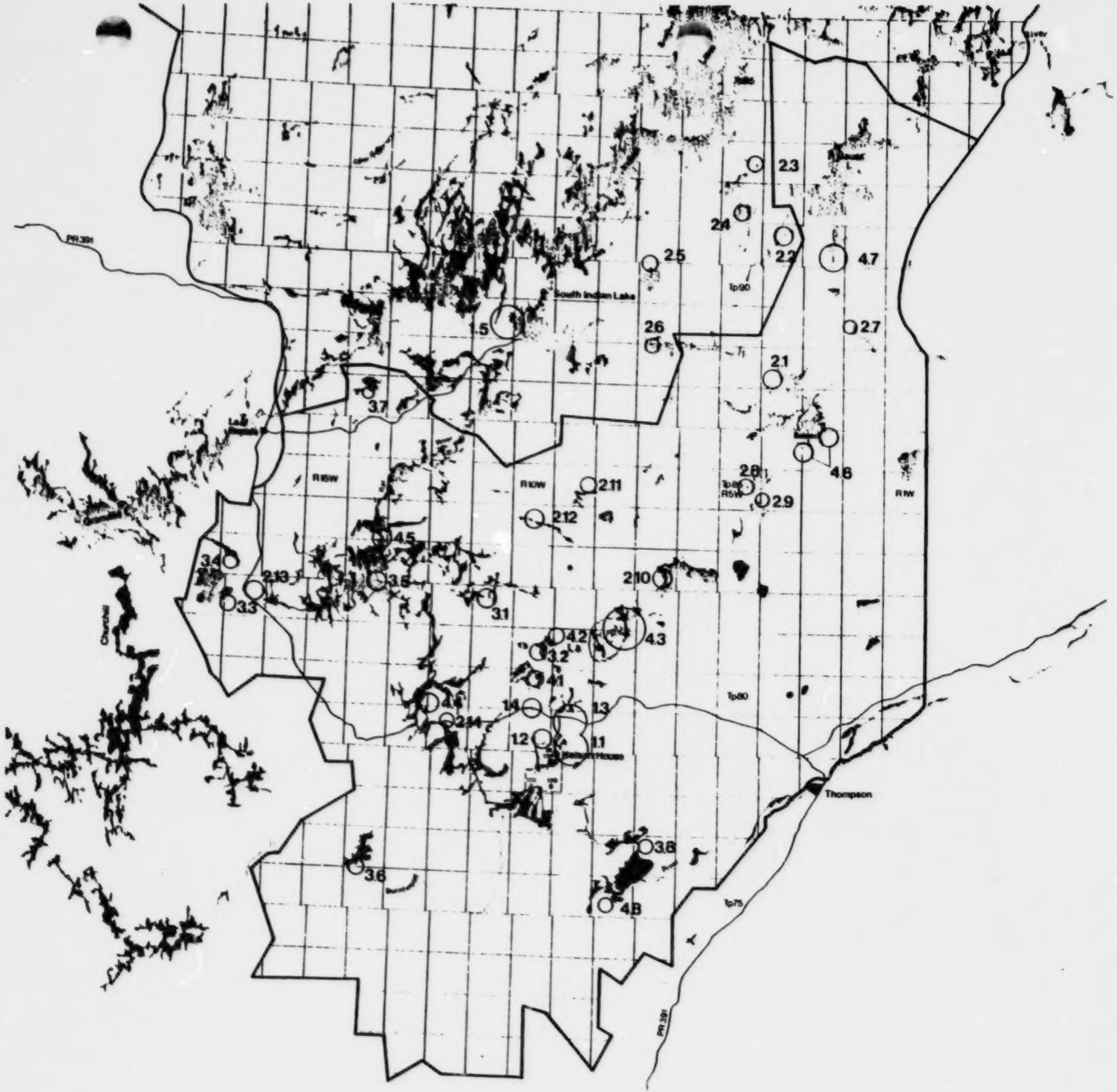
NELSON HOUSE
Proposed Land Exchange Areas

Numbered 1.1 to 4.8



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NORTHLANDS

RESERVE: #197A Lac Brochet
CHIEF: Jerome Denechezhe
POPULATION: 517 total
ON-RESERVE: 203
OFF-RESERVE: 314
RESERVE AREA: 1,147 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

No current negotiations or requests.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band was part of the Barren Lands Band until 1978. Under the terms of separation, the Barren Lands Band retained the 10,719.7 acre Reserve at Brochet, and the Northlands Band received the claim to the outstanding treaty entitlement of 10,144.3 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #197A Lac Brochet ....1,147.2 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1980-2194 dated August 27/80

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

. 10,144.34 - 1,147.2 = 8,997.1 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

No additional selection to date.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

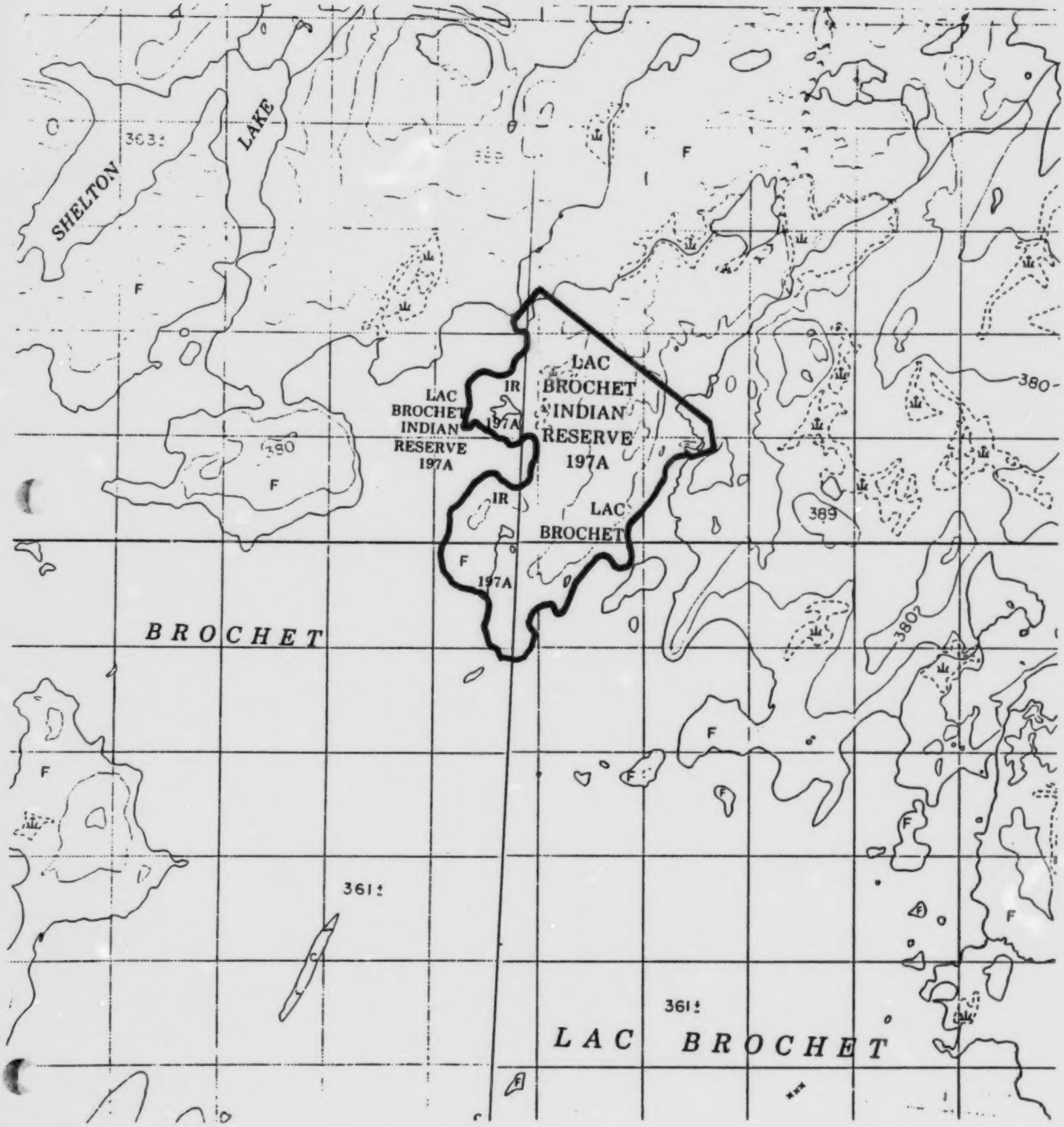
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

LAC BROCHET INDIAN RESERVE 197A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NORWAY HOUSE

RESERVE:	#17 Norway House
CHIEF:	Alan James Ross
POPULATION:	3,135 Total
ON-RESERVE:	2,559
OFF-RESERVE:	276
RESERVE AREA:	19,511 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

AIRSTRIPS AND ROADS: Order-in-Council #715/83 dated June 29, 1983 has authorized transfer of 709.52 acres of Crown land for the Band in exchange for Reserve lands surrendered for the Airstrip, Jenpeg Road and borrow pits, and the internal road system. This transfer fulfils Provincial commitments made in connection with roads and airstrips to date.

FLOODING: As a signatory to the Northern Flood Agreement, the Band is entitled to select 12,712 acres of land as compensation for flooding. Order-in-Council #785/83 dated June 20, 1983 authorized transfer of 148.94 acres of Crown land as partial compensation under the Agreement. The Band has identified additional "exchange lands" and "hold areas". This request is now under review by the Province.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band signed Treaty #5 which entitles it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Norway House Reserve in 1877, the Band population was 790. This includes the Band members who subsequently moved to Fisher River and became a separate Band. In 1908, 227 Indians signed an adhesion to Treaty #5 as part of the Norway House Band. This would entitle the Band to:

(790 + 227) x 160/5 = 32,554 acres

2) LANDS RECEIVED

For the purpose of calculating treaty entitlement, Fisher River Reserves are included.

Reserve #17 Norway House	18,669.8 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1923-2406 dated December 10/23.	
Less Chief's Island	16.8 acres
OC/PC 1928-1788 dated September 28/28	
Reserves #44 and #44A Fisher River	15,692,8 acres
(SEE: Page 55) TOTAL	34,345.8 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

32,554 - 34,346 = Nil

4) REMARKS

Together the Fisher River and Norway House Bands received their total treaty entitlement of 160 acres per family of five.

The Province and the Department of Indian Affairs had taken the view that in cases where Bands have split subsequent to the first Reserve survey, these Bands can be considered as one entity for purposes of calculating outstanding treaty entitlement. The Office of Native Claims has determined that inasmuch as the Fisher River Group was mentioned separately in Treaty #5, with a reduced entitlement of 100 acres per family of five, the group should be treated as a separate Band. This position recognizes the fulfillment of the Fisher River Band's entitlement but also shows an outstanding entitlement of 6,755 acres for the Norway House Band.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

The Airstrip at Norway House was constructed on 75.76 acres of Reserve land plus other lands. The Airstrip was surveyed in 1974. The required Reserve lands were transferred to the Province by authority of OC/PC 1976/24 dated January 13, 1976.

By BCR dated May 24, 1973 the Band agreed to exchange the lands required for the Airstrip on a 2:1 ratio. This exchange was agreed to by the Province by O/C #685/73 dated June 25, 1973. BCR dated March 18, 1974 further clarified the exchange by clearly identifying the airstrip lands and stating that the 2:1 exchange ratio include minerals.

Mines Branch would not approve a 2:1 exchange of minerals and Mineral Resources Division recommended that exchanges of Crown Lands for Reserve Lands required for public works be exclusive of mineral rights.

In 1978 the Band identified 3 parcels of land at Sea River Falls on the Nelson River as exchange lands. In January, 1981 this was reduced to 2 parcels. Subsequently one parcel (Parcel C) which has been surveyed on Parcels "A" and "B" Plan #7040, NLTO, was identified to complete the Airstrip, internal roads and Jenpeg Road land exchange.

O/C #715/83 dated June 29, 1983 authorized transfer of Parcels "A" and "B" (709.53 acres) to Canada for the Band to fulfill the Province's commitment to transfer Crown lands in exchange for Reserve lands occupied by the Airstrip and roads. The lands have not as yet been confirmed as Reserve by Canada.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

Under Article 3 of the Northern Flood Agreement the Band is entitled to 12,712 acres of compensation lands. By BCR dated March 5, 1982 Parcel "B" at Sea River Falls was identified as partial compensation under Article 3. This Parcel has been surveyed as Parcels "A", "B", "C", "D" and "E", Plan #7307, NLTO.

O/C #785/83 dated July 20, 1982 authorized transfer of Parcels "A" and "E" (148.94 acres) to Canada for the Band.

Parcels "B", "C" and "D" are below the severance line and will be transferred subject to Manitoba Hydro being granted an easement. The easement agreement is being negotiated by Hydro and Canada. Transfer of these three Parcels will be recommended upon completion of the agreement.

By copy of the "Land Exchange - Land Use Study" prepared for the Northern Flood Committee by Hilderman, Witty Crosby, Hanna & Associates and received on October 12, 1983, the Band has requested 24 parcels of land totalling 12,626 acres according to Article 3 of the NFA, and 4 "hold areas" total 1,024,000 acres according to Article 4 of the NFA. Government departments and agencies have been circularized regarding this request.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

JENPEG ROAD AND INTERNAL ROAD SYSTEM

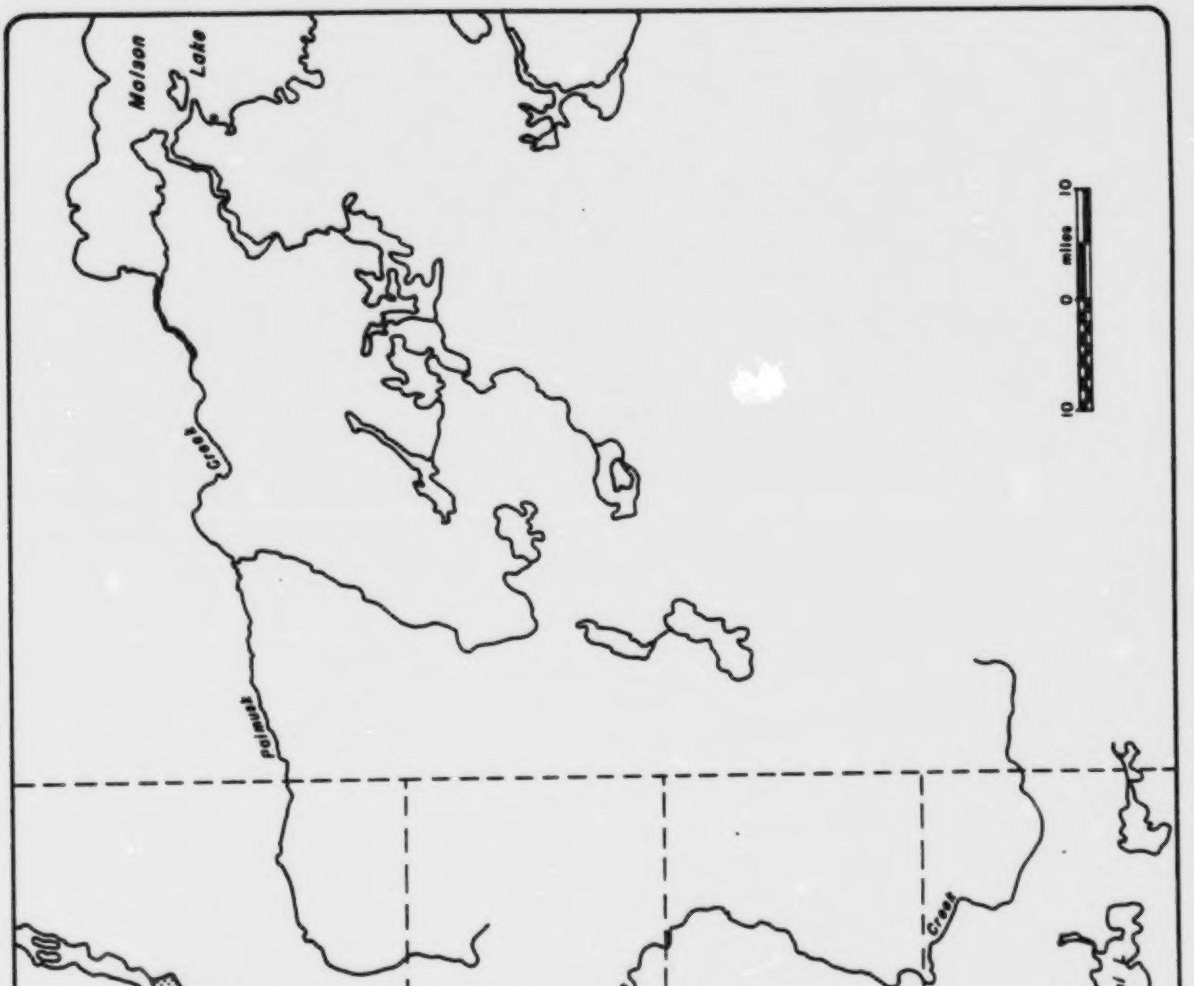
The Jenpeg Road was extended to Rossville in 1977. The road and borrow pits have been surveyed and occupy 246.3 acres of Reserve lands.

By BCR dated December 16, 1976 the Band agreed to exchange the lands required for the road for an equal acreage of Crown land, indicating interest in selecting lands at Sea River Falls, Gunisao Lake and Paimusk Creek.

The internal road system was constructed to provide school bus service and improved communications on the Reserve. The roads total 150 acres of Reserve land.

By BCR dated January 20, 1975 the Band agreed to surrender this land for $200.00 per acre. Subsequently, by letter dated November 3, 1977 the Band indicated its desire for a land exchange based on an acre for acre rather than monetary compensation.

By BCR dated July 29, 1980 the Band requested that Canada transfer the internal roads to Mnitoba. By OC/PC 1981/20 dated January 8, 1981 Canada transferred the internal roads and the Jenpeg Road on Reserve #17 to Manitoba to facilitate road upgrading, bridge construction and free public access. A final PCO from Canada is pending upon registration of the plans of road survey.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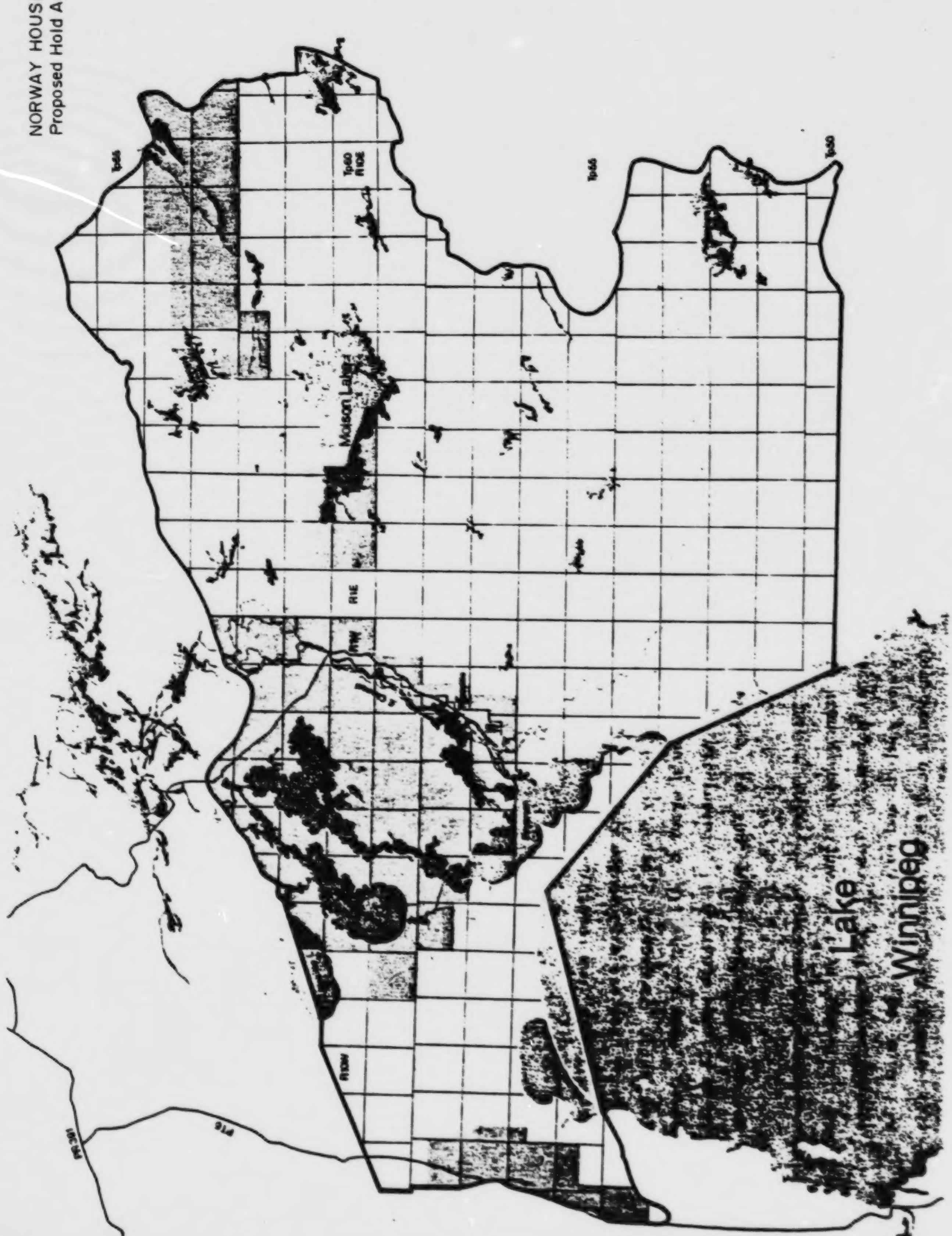
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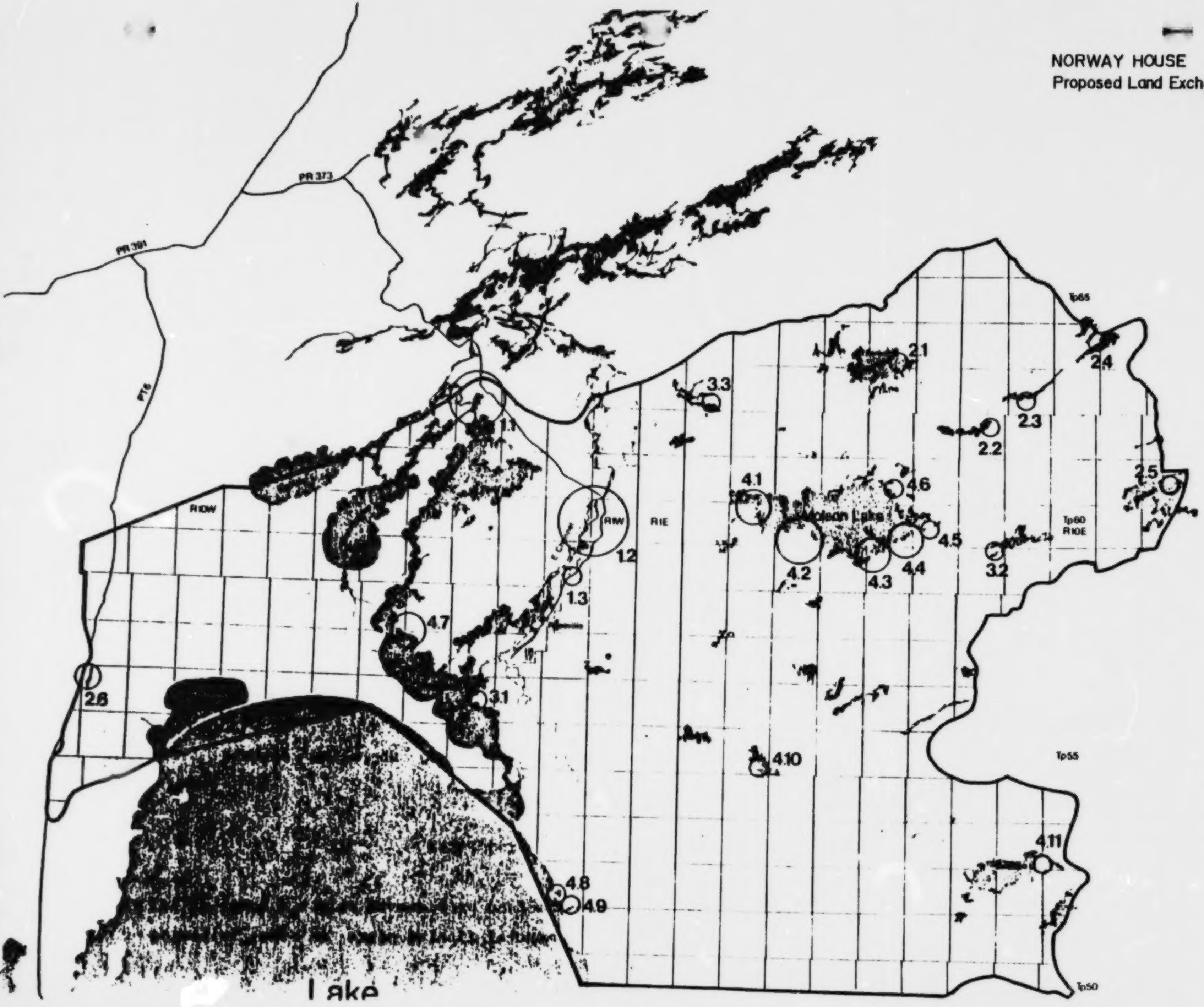
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OAK LAKE SIOUX

RESERVES:	#59 and 59A Oak Lake
CHIEF:	Kenneth Eastman
POPULATION:	404
ON-RESERVE:	286
OFF-RESERVE:	118
RESERVE AREA:	2,764 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band is a Sioux Band which migrated to Canada from the United States in the late 19th century. The Band has no aboriginal rights in Manitoba and did not sign any treaty.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #59 Oak Lake	2,560 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-2876 dated November 21/13	
Reserve #59A Oak Lake	160 acres
TOTAL	2,720 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLIAMS

No claims to date.

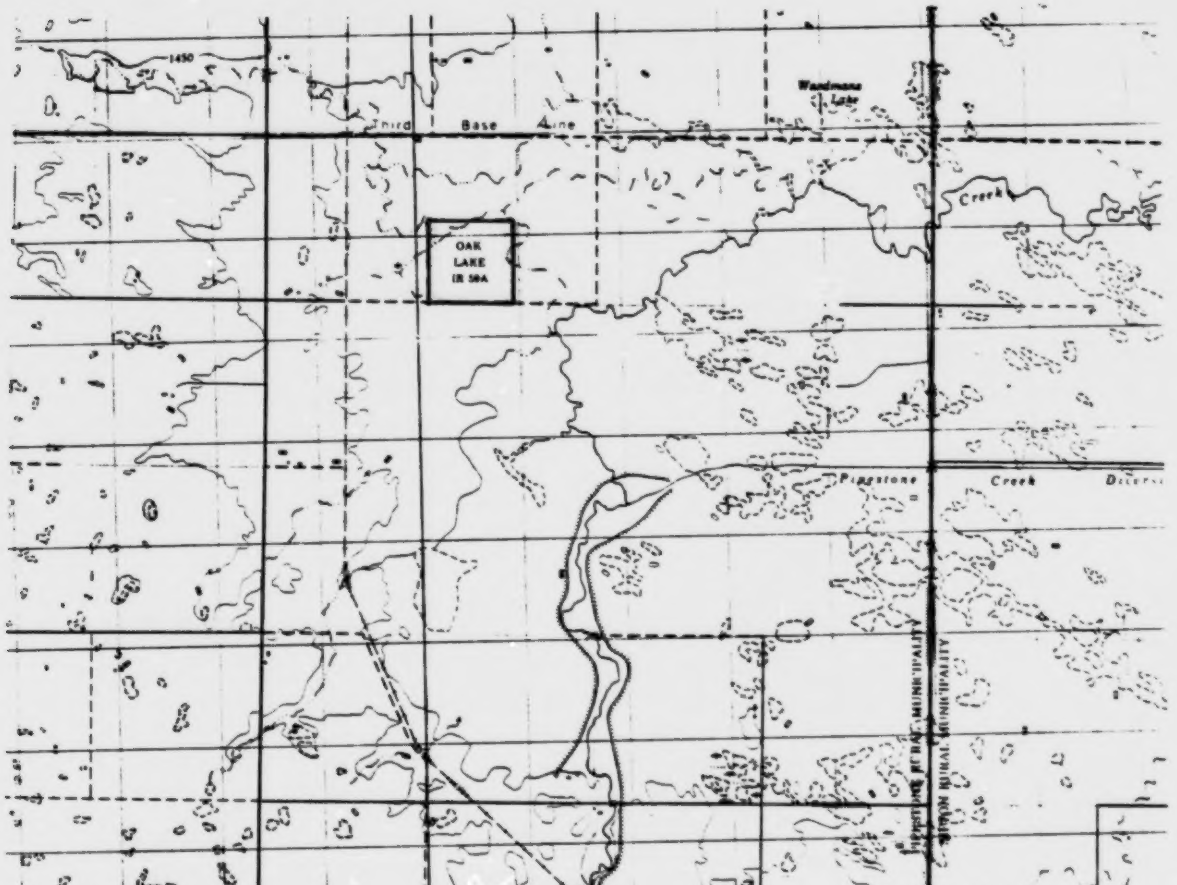
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

OAK LAKE SIOUX INDIAN RESERVES #59 & 59A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OXFORD HOUSE

RESERVE:	#24 Oxford House
CHIEF:	Eric Chubb
POPULATION:	1,336 Total
ON-RESERVE:	1,225
OFF-RESERVE:	111
RESERVE AREA:	12,049 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

AIRSTRIP: The Band wants to lease the Reserve lands required for the airstrip to Manitoba rather than surrender or exchange them.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1924 the Band population was 377. This entitled the Band to:

377 x 160/5 = 12,064 acres

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #24 Oxford House ....12,049 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-876 dated April 30/30

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

12,064 - 12,049 = 15 acres

II. AIRSTRIPS

An airstrip was constructed on 231 acres of Reserve lands and is used under authority of BCR dated February 1, 1973. Initially the Band wanted to lease these lands to Manitoba rather than surrender or exchange them.

Since 1978 discussions have taken place between Canada, the Band and the Province in an effort to establish a lease type arrangement that would satisfy the requirements of all parties.

The Department of Highways and Transportation has advised that no improvements to the airport will be effected until the required Reserve lands are transferred to the Province. Highways and Transportation has prepared a draft agreement of understanding concerning land requirements for the airport.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

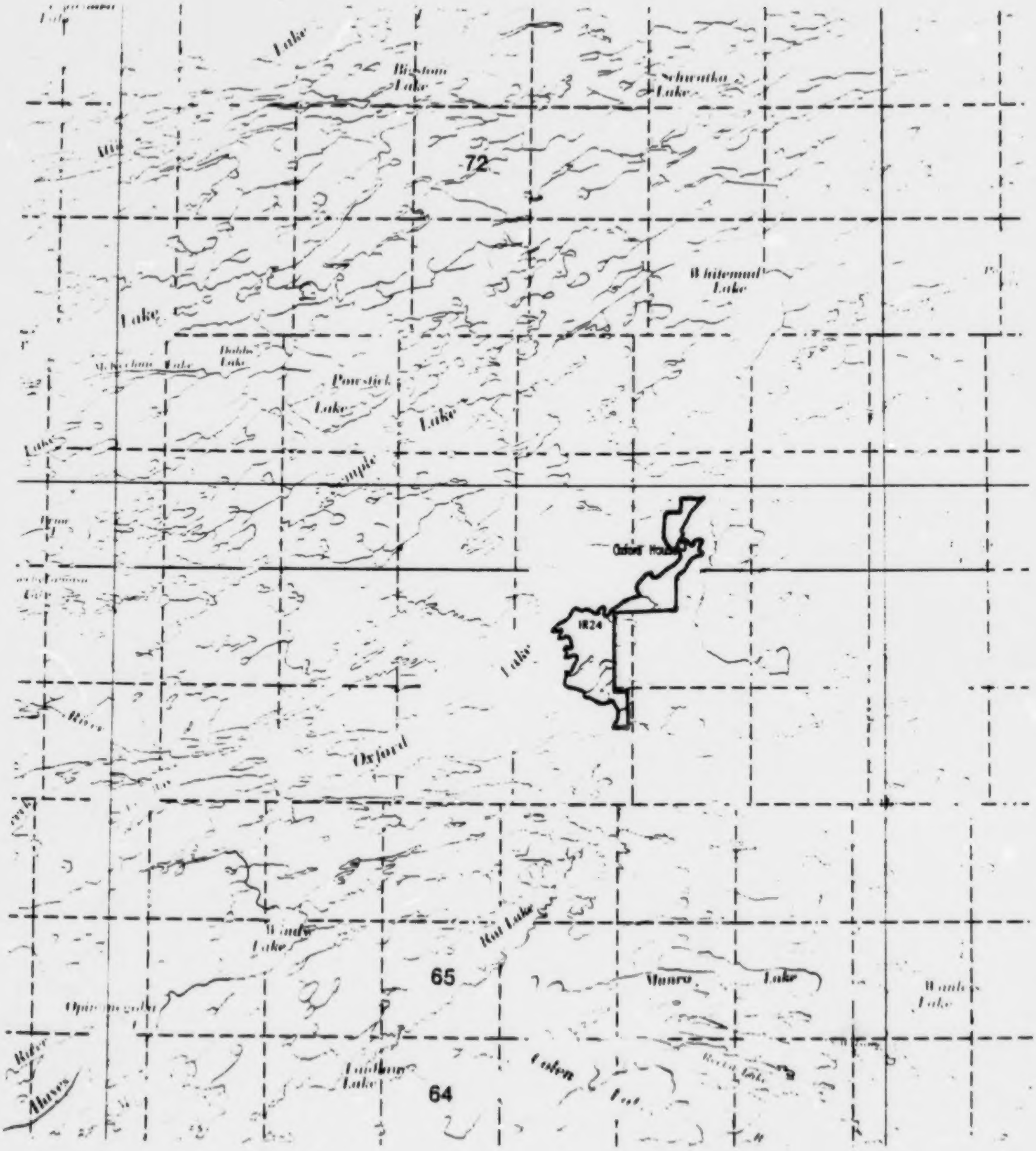
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

OXFORD HOUSE INDIAN RESERVE #24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PEGUIS

RESERVES:	#1A St. Peter's Fishing Station #1B Peguis #1C Fisher Bay
CHIEF:	Louis J. Stevenson
POPULATION:	3,184 Total
ON-RESERVE:	1,711
OFF-RESERVE:	1,473
RESERVE AREA:	75,968 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

A large land exchange proposal involving haylands, lands required for a provincial pasture, Reserves #1A and #1C and Provincial Crown lands north of Reserve #1C has been reviewed and the Province's position has been presented to the Band.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #1 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1872, the Band's population was 1,493. This entitled the Band to 47,776 acres of land.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #1 St. Peter's..........................49,537.28 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1747 dated August 5/30

Reserve #1A St. Peter's Fishing Station.......... 131.00 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1891-467 dated March 30/91

Reserve #1C Fisher Bay .... 975.90 acres
TOTAL 50,664.18 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

47,,776 - 50,644 = Nil

4) REMARKS

The St. Peter's Reserve #1 was surrendered in exchange for Peguis Reserve #1B (75,096 acres) confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1573 dated July 14, 1930.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

(SEE: Summary of Peguis Indian Band - Proposed Land Exchange)

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

The Band has requested 966 acres of alternative Reserve lands (acre for acre) in exchange for Reserve #1C.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

SUMMARY OF PEGUIS INDIAN BAND - PROPOSED LAND EXCHANGE

(Manitoba's Negotiations to Obtain Band Lands)

Between 1946 and 1947 the Province purchased from the Federal Government (for $66,000.00) 8,454.6 acres of the 9,487 acres of marsh and hayland withheld from sale by the Federal Government after the surrender. The lands were required for the Netley Fur Rehabilitation Block. The balance (1,032.4 acres) consisting of six parcels and lying within the Fur Block was retained by Canada due to its commitment to provide hayland for Indian requirements according to the terms of the surrender and because certain parcels were occupied by members of the Peguis Band. However, Manitoba was (by Agreement dated January 23, 1946) granted a permanent easement to flood the six parcels excluded from sale (and described in the Agreement(1) up to an elevation of 714 feet above sea level.

At a meeting held February 6, 1975 (attended by Crown Lands, Land Acquisition, Indian Affairs, Chief Jack Sinclair and three councillors of the Peguis Band) the Band stated that they were not prepared to make Parish Lot 163 available on a cash basis, but would be prepared to enter into a land exchange. It was pointed out to the Province that private lands (fronting on Lake Winnipeg) in the area had been flooded and as it was the Province's policy to acquire these holdings it should similarly obtain Peguis lands alleged to have also been flooded by the high waters of Lake Winnipeg. It was pointed out to Provincial representatives that by an existing Federal/Provincial agreement the Province had the right to flood certain Indian lands ups to the 714 foot above sea level elevation(2) and whatever guarantee there was must be obsolete since the control structures were under several feet of water. Chief Sinclair stated that a portion of their lands at Goldeye Creek had been used for a bridge approach with apparently no prior arrangement to purchase or otherwise arrange for the lands involved. He said the Band would be interested in replacement lands to the Fisher Bay area close to the present Peguis Reserve #1B.

(1) The lands so described are shown in Plan #4397 WLTO (#2647 CLSR).
(2) By Agreement dated January 23, 1946 and referred to in text.

Another meeting was held with the Band on October 8, 1975. The Chief asked that the land exchange be conducted on an acre for acre basis with any difference in value being made up for in cash. This formula would apply only to St. Peter's Fishing Station Reserve #1A, the three parcels at Goldeye Creek, Parish Lot 163 and the W 1/2 10-15-5EPM. It was understood that Reserve #1C would be exchanged acre for acre and no value adjustment would be necessary.

In the event of an exchange, the Province would not be responsible for damage to any lands below elevation 722' above sea level. Water Resources Branch was to be contacted regarding possible removal of lands from the Water Power Reserve.

There was discussion regarding the provision of road access to the proposed new Reserve lands at Fisher Bay and funding for its construction.

At a meeting on November 13, 1975 it was stated that an appraisal had been carried out by the Province on the lands subject to the value adjustment formula. It showed an adjustment of $13,300.00 in favour of the Band would be in order. The elevation at Goldeye Creek was reported to be 713' above sea level. The land was considered unusable and thus given a low evaluation.

An estimated construction cost for approximately 5 miles of road to the proposed Reserve lands at Fisher Bay was presented. No agreement was reached on the matter of funding the road. The Band maintained that they had road access in the St. Peter's area.

On June 30, 1978 the Chief and representatives of the Peguis Band met again with Crown Lands. Representatives of Indian Affairs were in attendance. The Band indicated a desire to leave the topic of road access and funding out of discussions for the present. It was stated (in contrast to previous negotiations) that the Band wished to hold further discussion of the Ste. Peter's lands in abeyance. Instead, representatives wanted to confine land negotiations to an acre for acre exchange involving Reserve #1C (966 acres) for a similar area of Provincial Crown land on Fisher Bay, just north of Reserve #1C. They claimed Reserve #1C used to have a good beach area but has been inundated. The area to the north was reported to have a good beach and supply of timber. A study by the Band of possible recreational development of the area was apparently in progress. Following the meeting a temporary reservation was placed on the Crown Land Register converting the lands identified by the Band.

On April 6, 1979 and January 29, 1980, at meetings with the Band, funding of all weather road access was seen as no longer a problem provided that the Province would make a right-of-way available to the proposed Reserve at Fisher Bay. In the event of a land transfer, the Province advised that lands below 722' ASL would not be transferred. The Province agreed to issue a General Permit to the Band for a Wilderness Training Camp on the Fr'l NE 19-30-2EPM with any construction to be 722' ASL. The Band was concerned that the regulation of Lake Winnipeg water levels had caused the destruction of the beach area at Peguis Reserves #1A and #1C and had affected some of St. Peter's land. Water Resources indicated that maximum water levels were greater prior to regulation. The Band stated its wish to exclude the St. Peter's lands since restricting negotiations to only the Fisher Bay area would have no reciprocal benefit for the Province.

Ducks Unlimited has presented to Canada, Manitoba and the Band a proposal to develop waterfowl habitat on the Netley-Libau Marsh which would involve the installation of water control works and the regulation of water levels in the St. Peter's area. According to Ducks Unlimited the proposed control structure is designed to operate within the 714' ASL elevation stated in the 1946 Agreement.

In 1980 the Province undertook a review of all land matters involving the Province and the Band. The review has been completed and in a letter dated July 8, 1981 from A. Brian Ransom, Chairman of the Sub-Committee of Cabinet on Indian Land Claims, the following Provincial positions on proposed land transaction were presented to the Band:

a) INDIAN RESERVE #1C

The Band had requested by BCR dated June 12, 1979 the exchange of Reserve #1C for an area north of Indian Reserve #1C. In response to this proposal the Province may exchange Provincial Crown land for existing Reserve property subject to the Province retaining the right to reacquire portions of the land for public purposes. Alternatively the Province may lease the area north of Reserve #1C to the Band.

b) GOLDEYE CREEK ROAD AND BRIDGE

The road and bridge at Goldeye Creek are locate partly on the former St. Peter's Reserve which has been surrendered to the Federal Government. The degree of encroachment is about one acre. A new approach and bridge were built when the former crossing was obsolete. The Province wants to acquire this right-of-way for public purposes and will be approaching Canada to do this.

c) LOT 163

This lot is part of the former St. Peter's Reserve surrendered to the Federal Government. The Province is interested in acquiring some of this lot for the widening of PR #508. The Province may acquire this road right-of-way through cash settlement or by the exchange of land with Canada. Canada and the Band indicated that this acquisition is not feasible.

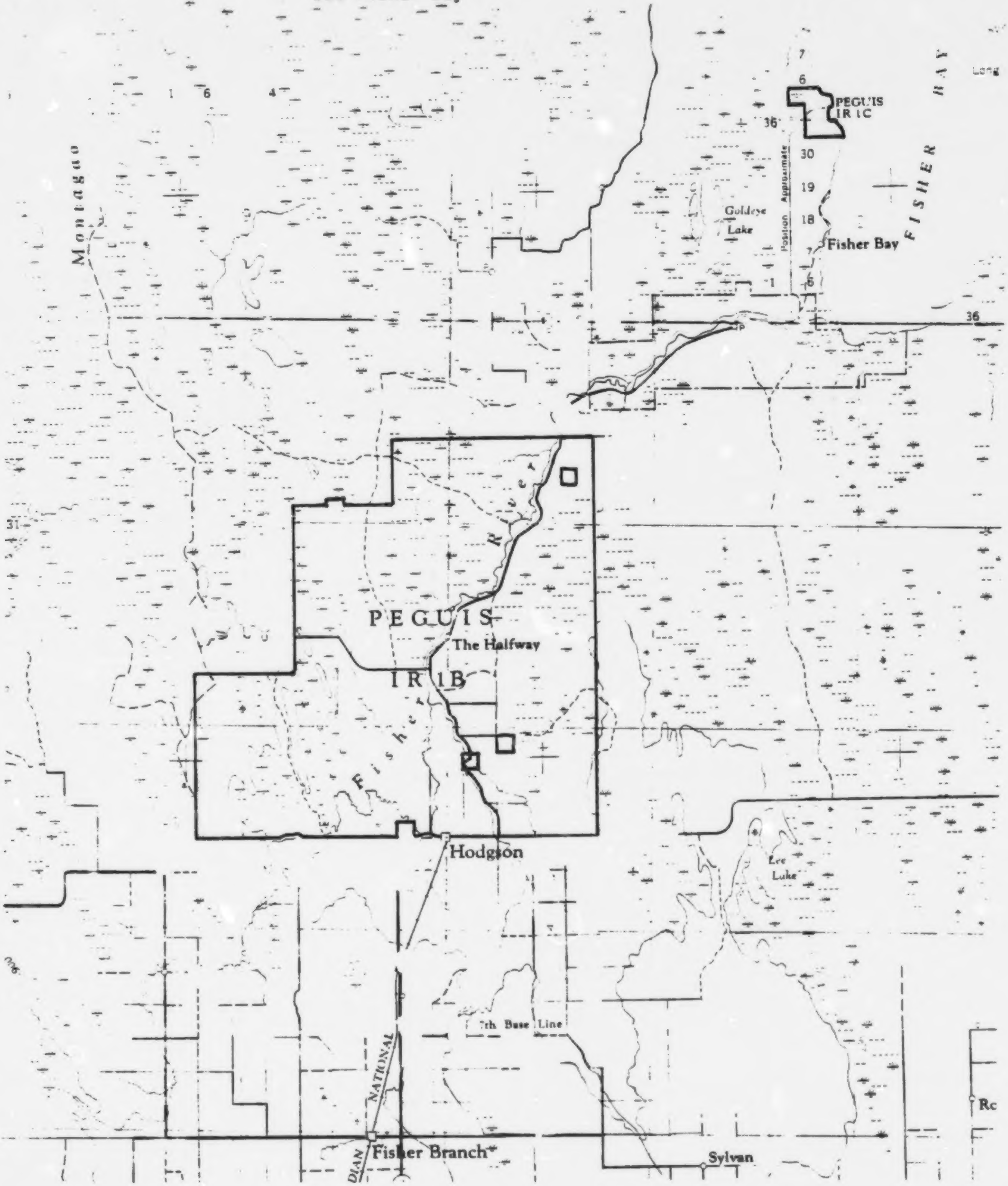
d) CANADA/MANITOBA AGREEMENT ON RECREATION AND CONSERVATION ON THE RED RIVER CORRIDER

The Agreement has proposed some facilities on the former St. Peter's Reserve surrendered to the Federal Government. Any land acquisition of the surrendered Reserve no doubt will involve consultation with the Band by Canada.

One parcel in the Netley Fur Rehabilitation Block (now patented) is subject to liens under the St. Peter's Reserve Act. This Act applies only to patents between 1907 and 1915. Subsequent patents are not subject to the Act.

On November 5, 1982 Canada advised Manitoba that a Submission is being prepared to amend the 1907 surrender for sale of St. Peter's Reserve #1 which would result in the return of 498 acres to Reserve status. Manitoba advised Canada by letter dated January 17, 1983 that Parks Branch and Hydro have concerns over the reinstatement of these lands to Reserve status. Hydro advised against the transfer of lands below 720' ASL as they may be subject to flooding. Parks stated that this land is situated adjacent to Netley Wayside and transfer would not allow future expansion and access to the Red River by the public, and may restrict the development of the ARC program.

PEGUIS INDIAN RESERVE #1A St. Peter's Fishing Station
#1B Peguis
#1C Fisher Bay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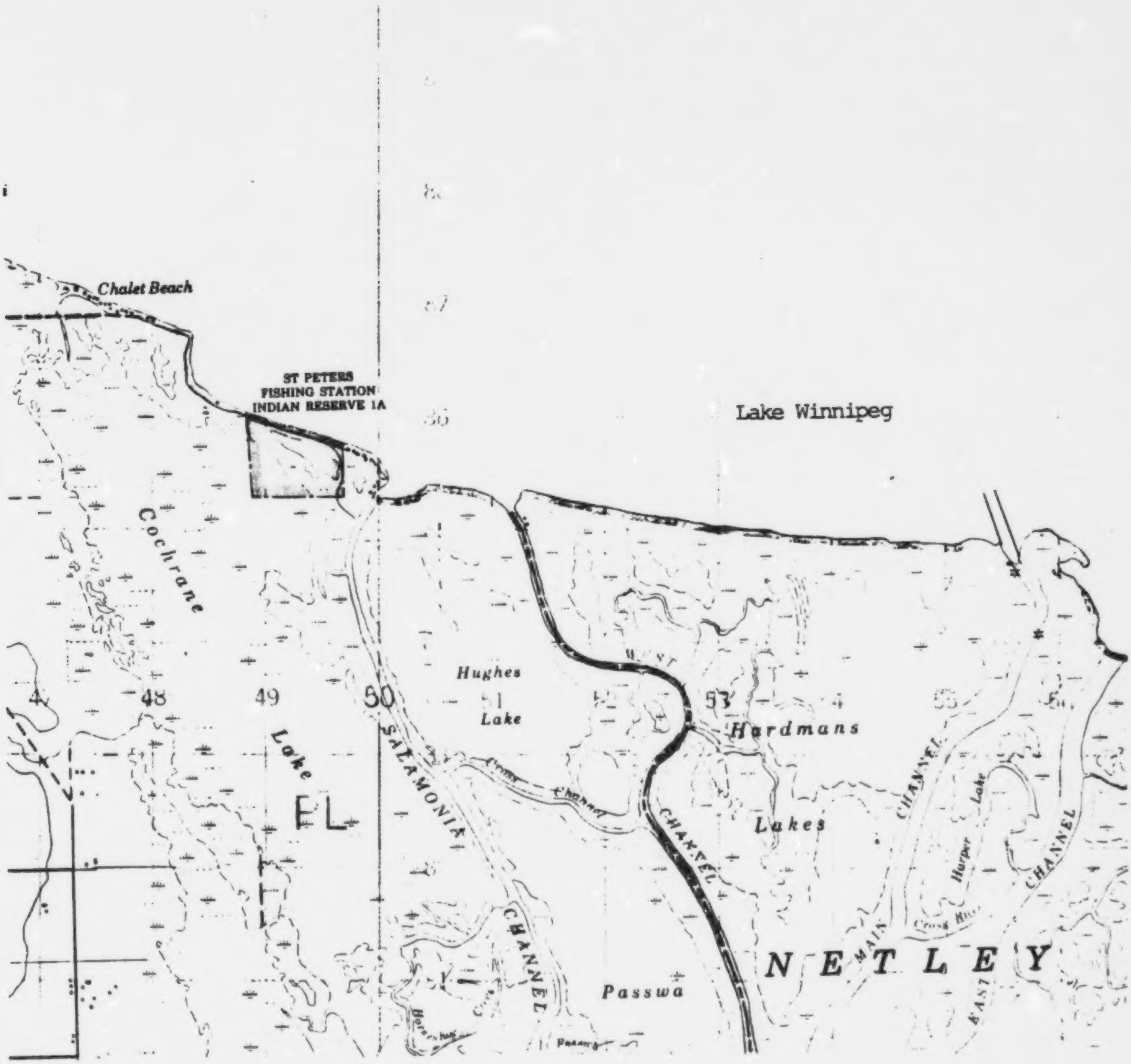
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PINE CREEK

RESERVE: #66A Pine Creek
CHIEF: Clifford McKay
POPULATION: 941 Total
ON-RESERVE: 510
OFF-RESERVE: 431
RESERVE AREA: 23,848 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

OC/PC 1979-375 dated February 15, 1979 added lands to Reserve #66A and erred by including certain Crown (Manitoba) riverbed and mineral rights. DIAND to clarify this. Band claims .23 acres of road right-of-way is being used illegally by Manitoba.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band signed Treaty #4 which entitled it to 640 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1978 the Band population was 86. This entitled the Band to 11,008 acres of land.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #66A Pine Creek .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1917-1471 dated June 1/17	9,145.60 acres
Addition to Reserve #66A Pine Creek .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1902-2286 dated January 6/02	7,740.00 acres
Addition to Reserve #66A Pine Creek .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1926-261 dated February 22/26	15.67 acres
Addition to Reserve #66A Pine Creek .... Confirmed by OC/PC 1979-375 dated February 15/79	617.00 acres
TOTAL	17,518.27 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

11,008 - 17,518.27 = Nil

4) REMARKS

Originally this Band received 9,620 acres at Duck Bay. This Reserve was never confirmed and in 1886 the Pine Creek Band surrendered their reserve at Duck Bay for 9,145.60 acres at Pine Creek (#66A). In 1902 an addition of 7,740 acres was made which was subsequently exchanged for 7,807.5 acres by OC/PC 1916-2398 dated October 5, 1916.

OC/PC 1979-375 dated February 15, 1979 set apart 617 acres in Lots 1 to 4 as an addition to Pine Creek Reserve #66A. OC/PC 1979-375 erred and designated certain lands and certain mineral and riverbed rights which are owned by the Province as an addition to Reserve #66A.

In 1981 the Department of Indian Affairs was notified and Crown Lands suggested that before registration of plan of addition to Reserve #66A, agreement should be reached regarding exchange of certain lands, riverbed and mineral rights in order to rationalize title, or have OC/PC 1979-375 amended to accurately reflect these ownership rights. In 1982 Indian Affairs agreed to postponement of land transactions until Surveys verifies the legal description. In 1983 the Band indicated they were not ready to meet with Manitoba on this matter.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

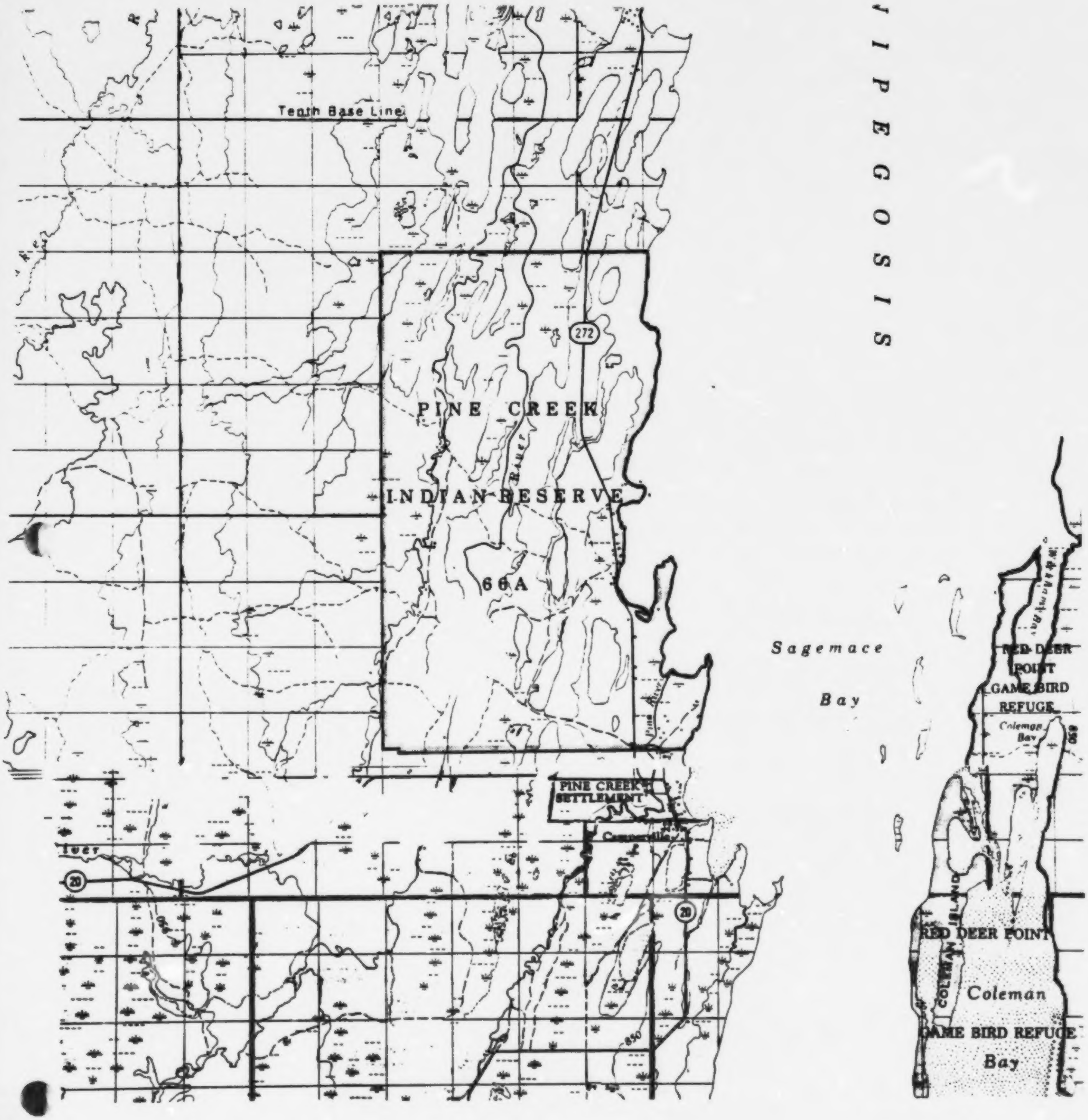
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

The Band has requested that a public school road be paved and that internal road allowances and some mineral rights be transferred to Canada in return for a .23 acre disputed road right-of-way to be transferred to Manitoba. Negotiations are proceeding.

PINE CREEK INDIAN RESERVE #66A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GAME BIRD REFUGE
Bay

POPLAR RIVER

RESERVE:	#16 Poplar River
CHIEF:	Alex Hudson
POPULATION:	654 Total
ON-RESERVE:	610
OFF-RESERVE:	44
RESERVE AREA:	3,800 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

AIRSTRIP: The Band has requested that Northern Affairs relocate the airstrip to the north side of the river.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 as part of the Berens River Band. At the time of the first survey of their Reserve in 1878, this Band was still part of the Berens River Band and for treaty entitlement purposes, these Bands can be calculated as one entity. This Band has no recognized outstanding treaty entitlement. For more information, see Berens River.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

By BCR dated July 20, 1968 the Band authorized construction of an emergency airstrip at the existing 1978 location. By BCR dated July 16, 1973 the Band authorized survey and extension of existing airstrip. By BCR dated August 3, 1976 the Band requested a 1:1 land exchange including mineral rights. In 1977 the Band expressed dissatisfaction with the current location of expansion of the airstrip and requested relocation of such to the north of the river outside the settlement. This may not be financially and/or physiclly feasible. The Department of Northern Affairs is not willing to relocate and has fenced the airstrip to minimize local hazards. Mineral Resources Division recommends exchanges of lands required for public works exclude mineral rights. A Discussion paper has been drafted as an attempt to formulate policy on this Reserve, as well as four other northern reserves, to deal with outstanding airstrip compensation. To date, negotiations have not been pursued.

IV. FLOODING

No claims to date.

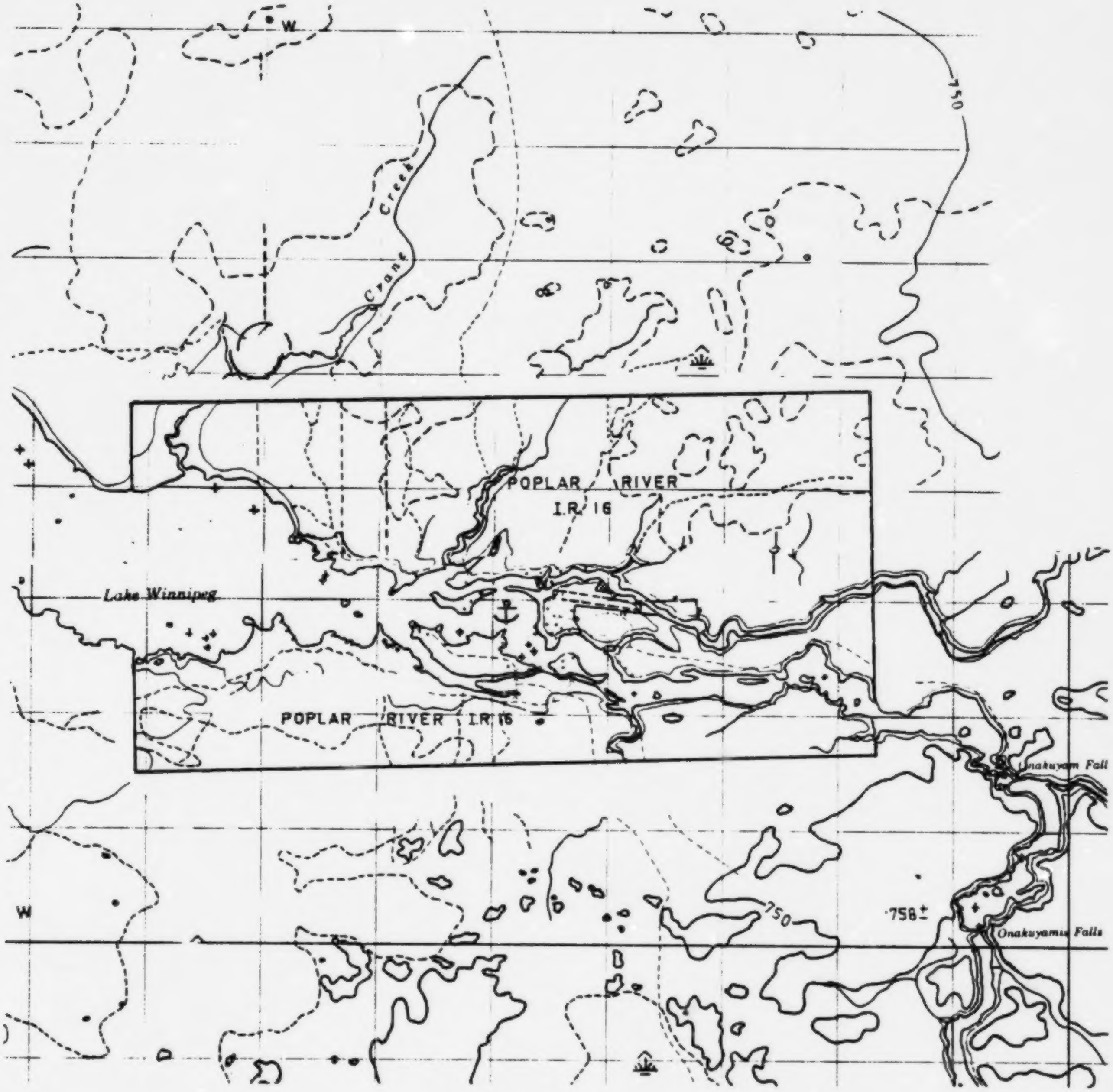
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

None to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

POPLAR RIVER INDIAN RESERVE #16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RED SUCKER LAKE

RESERVE:	#1976 Red Sucker Lake
CHIEF:	Billy Harper
POPULATION:	432 Total
ON-RESERVE:	56
OFF-RESERVE:	376
RESERVE AREA:	255 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band was part of the Island Lake Band until 1969. For treaty entitlement purposes, the Garden Hill, Red Sucker Lake, Ste. Theresa Point and Waasagomach Bands can be considered as the one Island Lake Band.

The Island Lake Band had an outstanding treaty entitlement of 2,939 acres. The four present day Bands agreed that the Red Sucker Lake Band select 255 acres of this entitlement to provide a Reserve at Red Sucker Lake. This leaves the four Bands with a shared outstanding entitlement of 2,684 acres. (SEE: Garden Hill, Page 70 for further information).

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

None to date.

III. AIRSTRIPS

There is an airstrip located on Crown (Manitoba) lands adjacent to the proposed Reserve. By BCR dated February 10, 1976 the Band agreed to the airstrip location, dimensions, etc. The access road will be included in the proposed Reserve, and leased to Manitoba for public right of ingress and egress.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

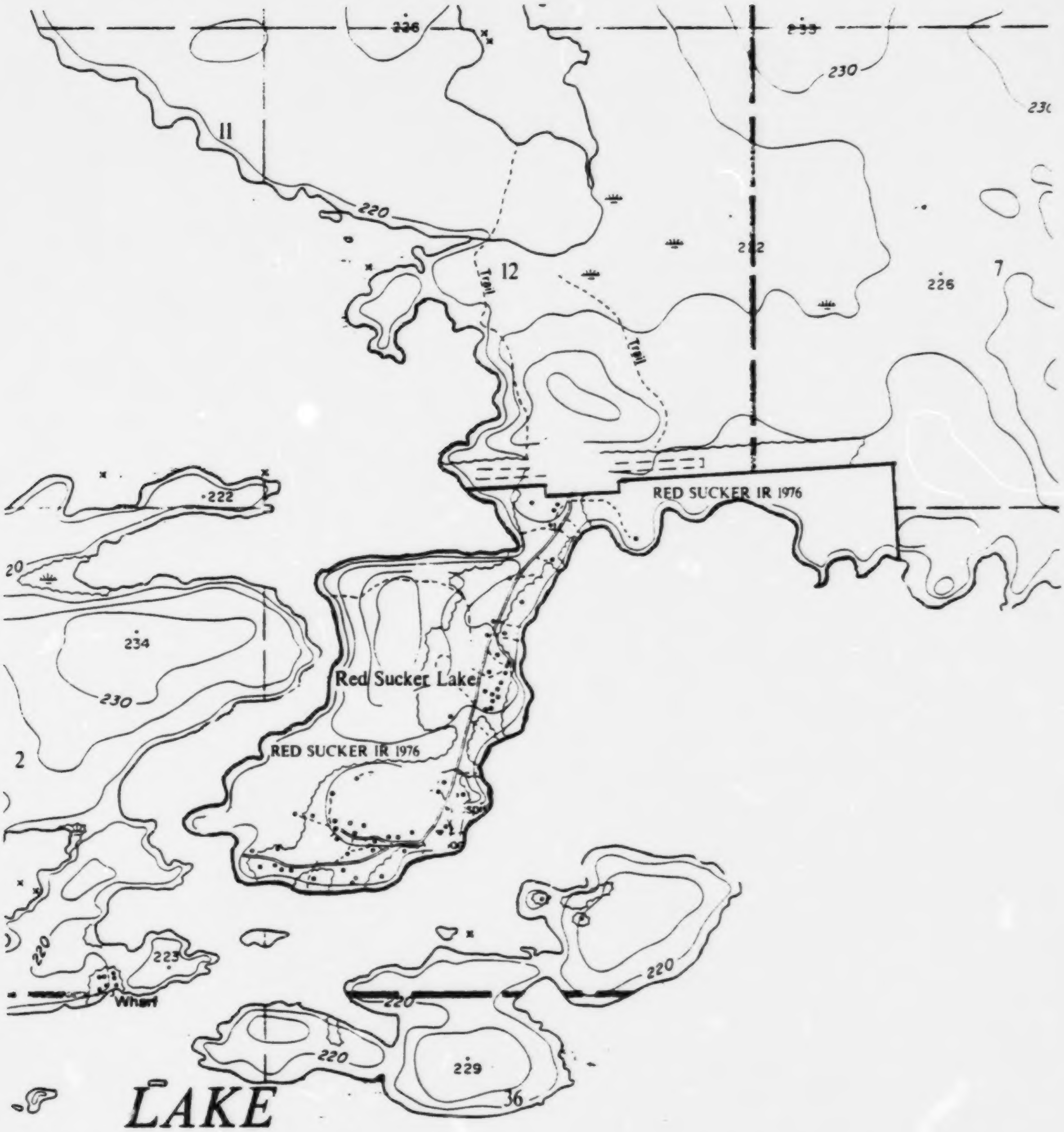
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

RED SUCKER LAKE INDIAN RESERVE #1976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ROLLING RIVER

RESERVE: #67 Rolling River
CHIEF: Dennis Whitebird
POPULATION: 471 Total
ON-RESERVE: 274
OFF-RESERVE: 197
RESERVE AREA: 14,271 acres

CURRENT ISSUES

Canada, on behalf of the Band, has claimed ownership to all internal road allowances within the boundaries of Indian Reserve #67.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #4 which entitled it to 640 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1893, the Band population was 111. This entitled the Band to 14,208 acres of land.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #67 Rolling River .... 13,290 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1893-2529 dated September 22/93

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

14,208 - 13,920 = 288 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band has not made any requests or indications of any selection of its outstanding treaty entitlement.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

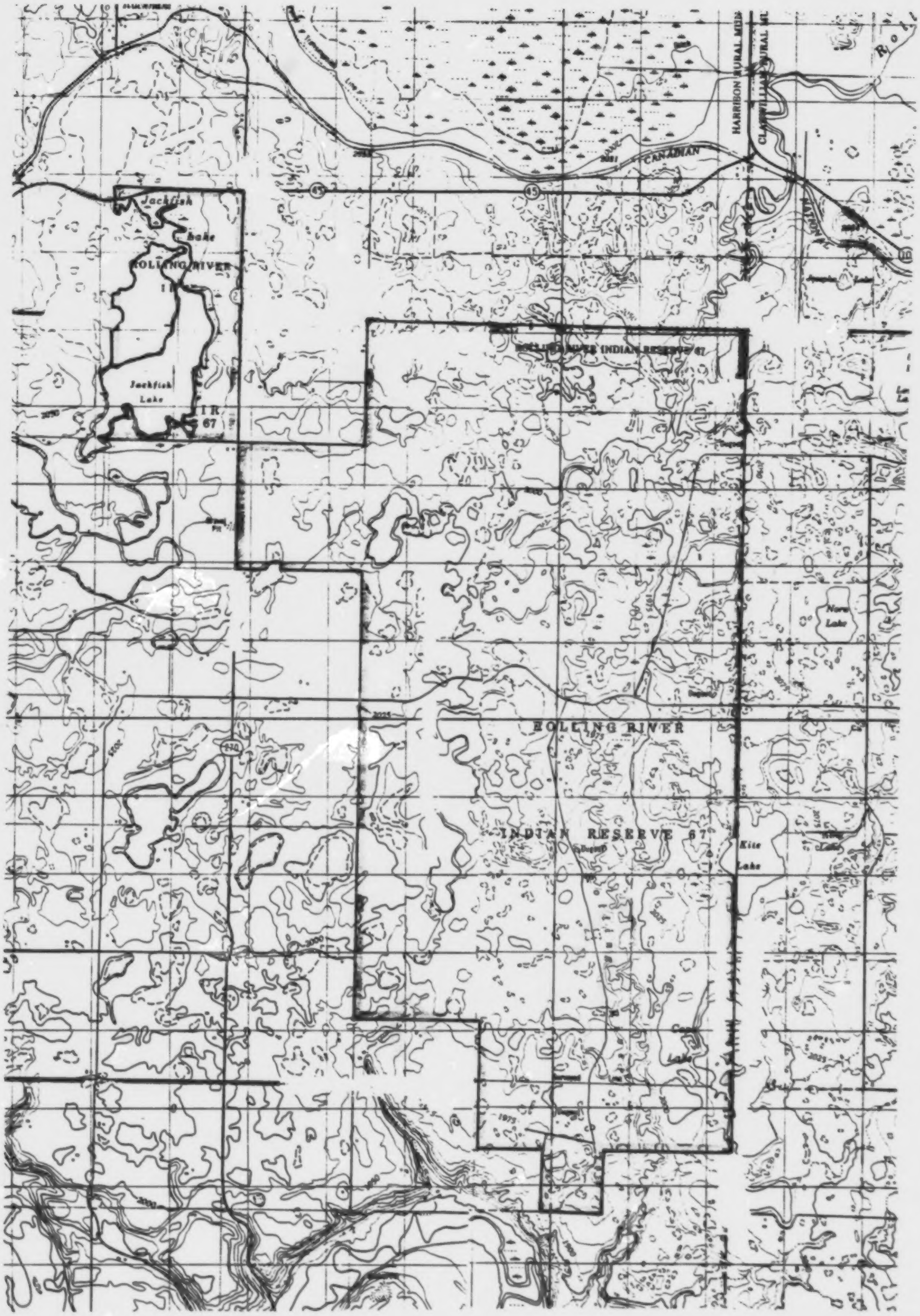
The Federal PC Order setting aside 13,920 acres as Reserve #67 erred and described the lands by Section, Township and Range. The description excludes the area of road allowances. The legal description used in the PC Order was inconsistent with a sketch plan annexed to the Order. The sketch described the lands to be set aside as a block which would include any internal road allowances contained within the external border of the Reserve.

The matter was brought to the attention of the Indian Land Claims Working Group and submitted to the Surveys and Mapping Branch for acreage verification and to the Department of the Attorney-General for legal description.

The Honourable A. Brian Ransom advised the Honourable John Munro that Manitoba recognizes Canada's claim to ownership of the internal road allowances at Reserve #67 and that the Band's treaty land entitlement of 288 acres is considered fulfilled by virtue of the additional 364.92 acres not accounted for in the Federal Government's official survey of the Reserve. The Honourable John Munro responded that confirmation could not be given for the extinguishment of the Band's outstanding treaty entitlement and the Province would be informed of the outcome of discussions between the Band and the Four Nations Confederacy involving a revised claim.

In a May 14, 1984 letter, the Federal Minister of Indian Affairs advised the Band that they have a valid treaty land entitlement claim. He advised that negotiations were currently underway to determine the land quantum formula. Once agreement is reached the Band may wish to proceed with land selection.

ROLLING RIVER INDIAN RESERVE #67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ROSEAU RIVER

RESERVE: #2 Roseau River
#2A Roseau Rapids
CHIEF: Carl Roberts
POPULATION: 1,180 Total
ON-RESERVE: 609
OFF-RESERVE: 570
RESERVE AREA: 7,484 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current issues or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #1 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1874, the Band population was 446, entitling the Band to 14,272 acres of land.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #2 Roseau River .... 13,349.84 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1917-165 dated January 20/17.

Reserve #2A Roseau Rapids .... 800 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-2876 dated November 21/13.

TOTAL: 14,149.84 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

14,272 - 14,150 = 122

4) REMARKS

In 1903 the Band surrendered 7,680 acres of Reserve #2 for sale. Part of the monies collected were used to purchase an addition of 1,280 acres for Reserve #2A which is held under C/T #51845 by the Crown (Canada).

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

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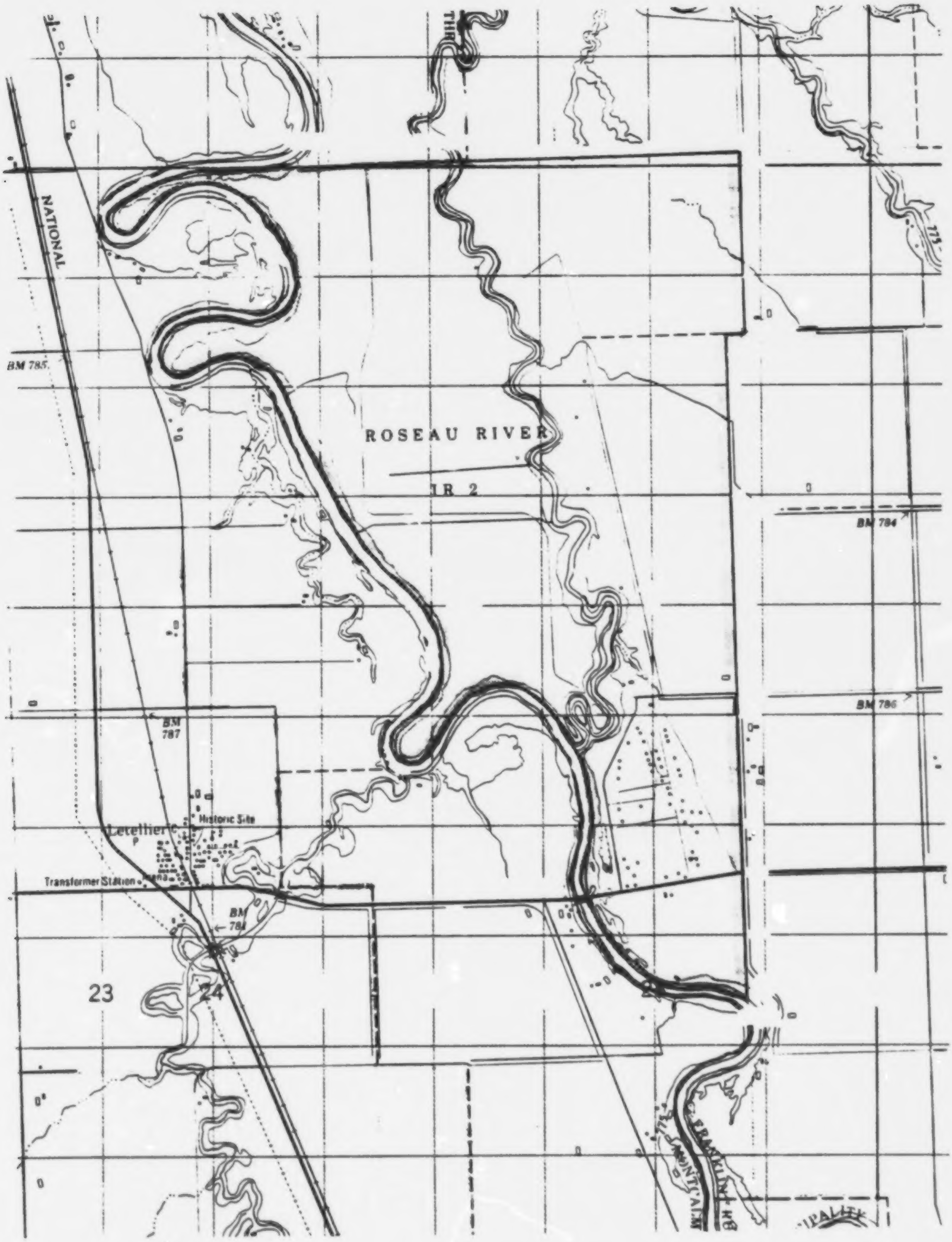
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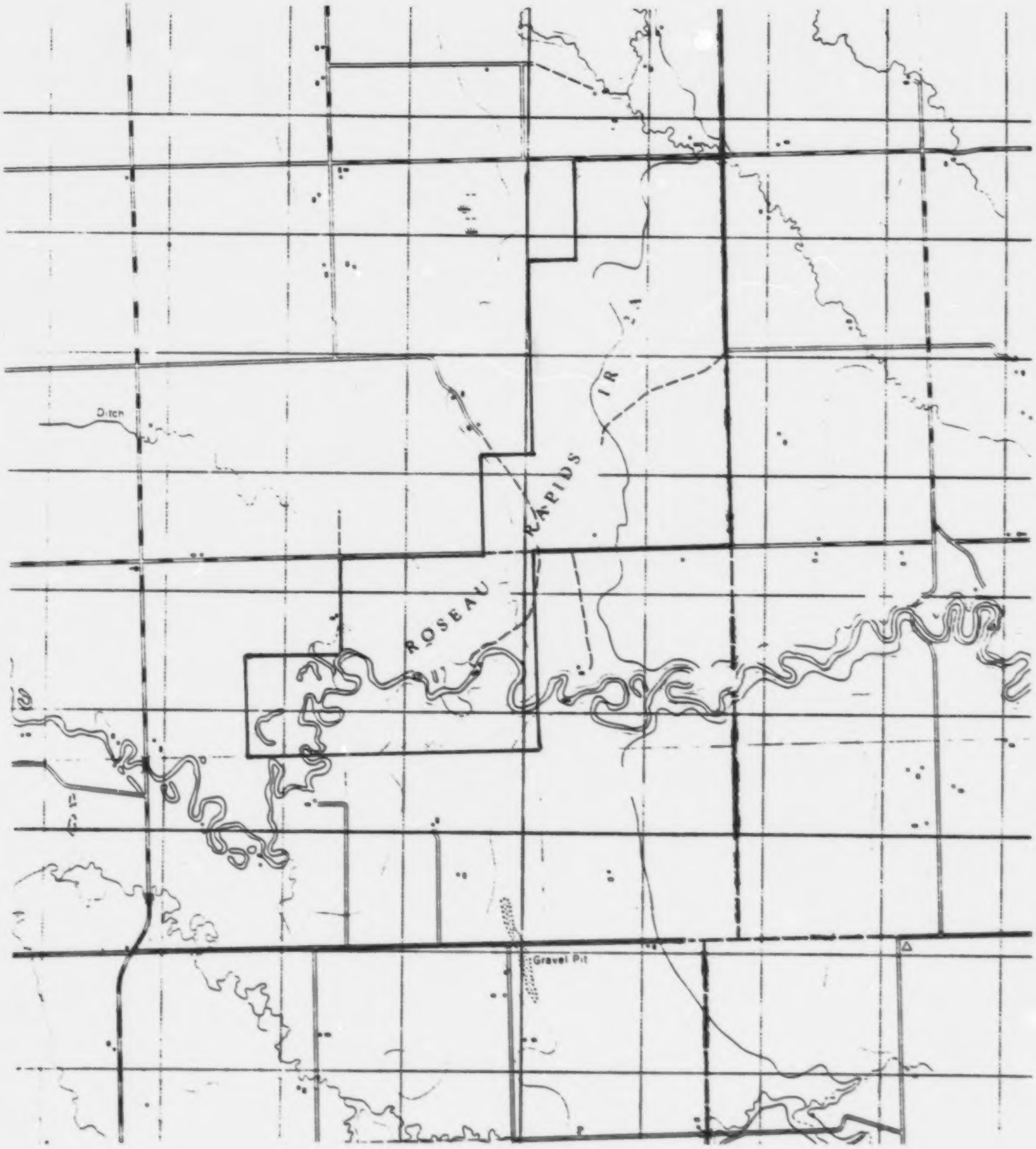
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SANDY BAY

RESERVE: #5 Sandy Bay
CHIEF: Harry Desjarlais
POPULATION: 2,491 Total
ON-RESERVE: 1,777
OFF-RESERVE: 714
RESERVE AREA: 16,456 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

The Band signed Treaty #1 as part of the old Portage Band. As a signatory to the Treaty the Band was entitled to 160 acres per family of five, but the Treaty also made special provision for an additional area of 25 square miles (16,000 acres) for this Band. At the time of the first survey of Reserves in 1876 the Portage Band had split into three separate Bands: the Long Plains, Sandy Bay and the Swan Lake Bands. It was decided that the total treaty entitlement for the Portage Band should be apportioned to the three separate Bands according to their population. At that date the Band totalled 188 members entitling it to:

188 X 160/5 = 6,016 acres

plus 32% of the additional 16,000 acres since the Sandy Bay Band comprised 32% of the former Portage Band membership. The Band's total entitlement was then:

6,016 (32% of 16,000) = 11,136 acres

2) LAND RECEIVED

Reserve #5 Sandy Bay ....12,160 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1913-2876 dated November 21/13.

Addition to Reserve #5 ....3,840 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1004 dated May 13/30.

Addition to Reserve #5 .... 495 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1970-2030 dated November 24/70.

TOTAL 16,495 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

11,136 - 16,495 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

The three bands that comprised the original Portage Band collectively received acreage exceeding their total treatment entitlement including the special provision for an additional 25 square miles. However, this total acreage was divided unevenly leaving the Long Plains and Swan Lake Bands with outstanding entitlement, but the Sandy Bay Band with an excess of 5,000 acres more than its share.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

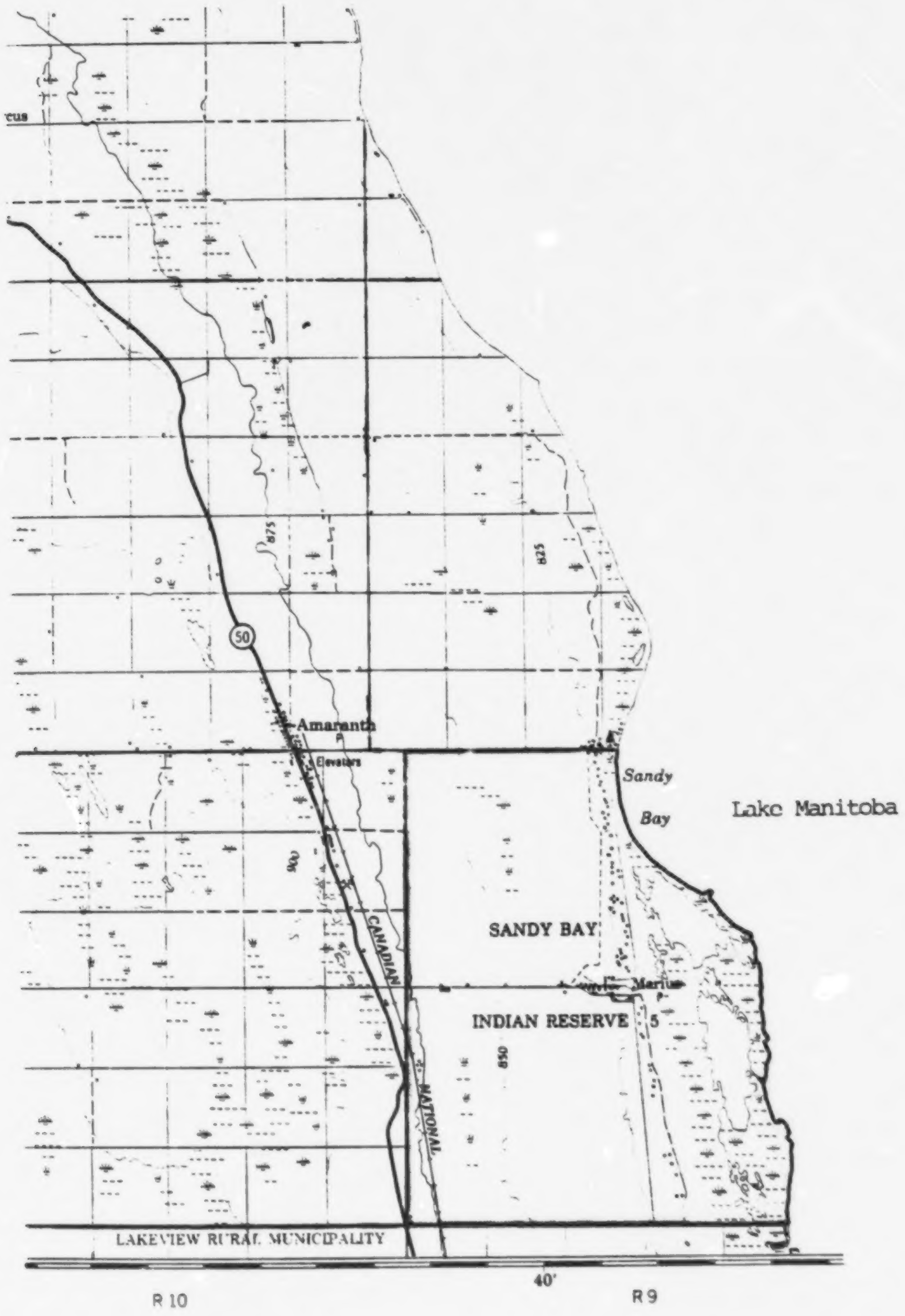
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

SANDY BAY INDIAN RESERVE #5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SHAMATTAWA

RESERVE:	#1 Shamattawa
CHIEF:	Sam Miles
POPULATION:	692 Total
ON-RESERVE:	645
OFF-RESERVE:	475
RESERVE AREA:	5,725 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) The Band signed Treaty #5 entitling it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first request for Reserve lands in 1970 the Band's population was 436. This entitled the Band to 13,952 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #1 Shamattawa ....5,722 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1978-1276 dated April 20/78.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

13,592 - 5,722 = 8,230 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band has selected 8 parcels of land for treaty entitlement totalling 8,100 acres. Negotiations are proceeding.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

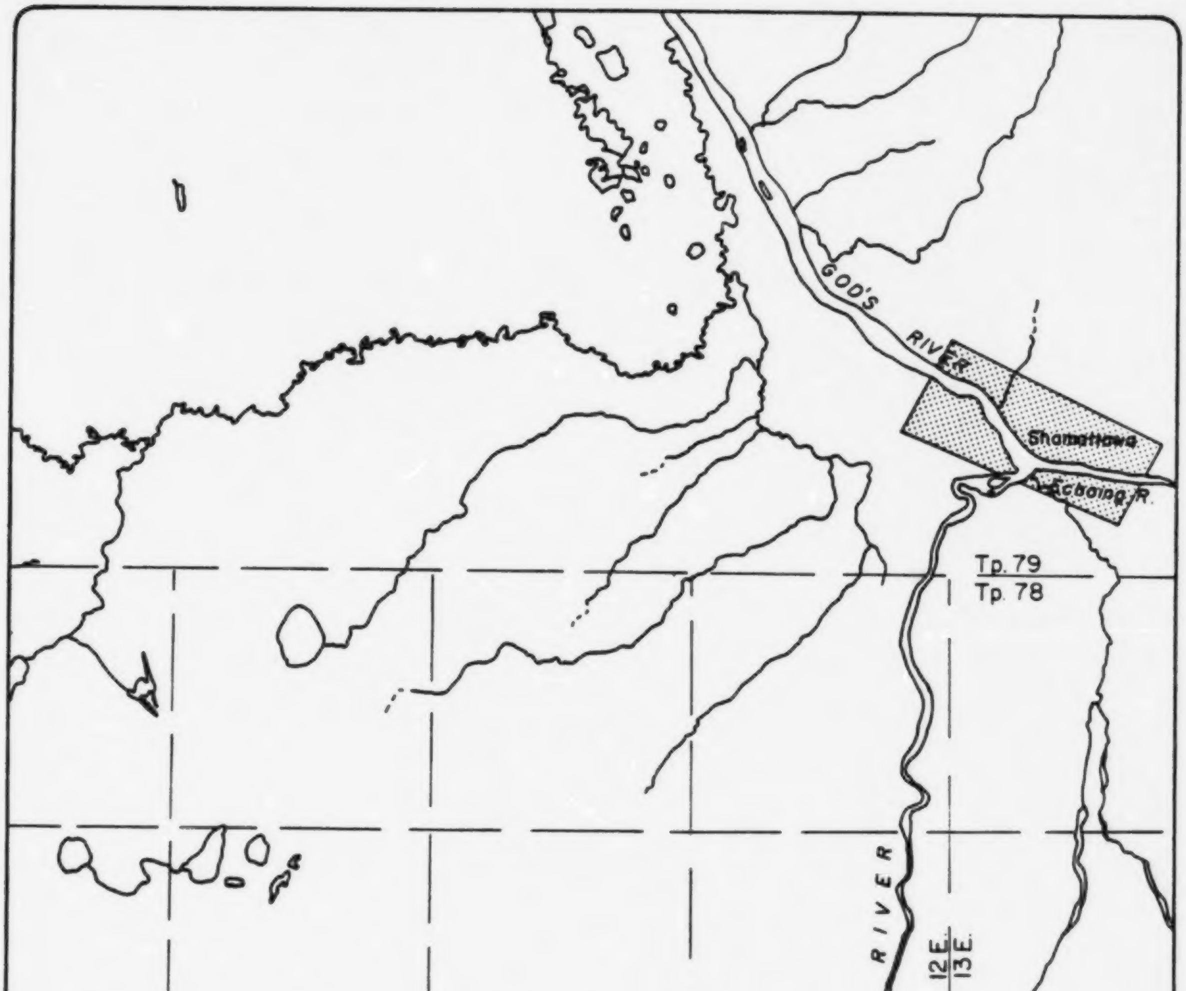
No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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SHOAL RIVER

RESERVE: #65A, B, D, F Dawson Bay
CHIEF: Stanley Norman Gott
POPULATION: 681 Total
ON-RESERVE: 412
OFF-RESERVE: 273
RESERVE AREA: 3,395 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) The Band signed Treaty #4 entitling it to 640 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1876 the population was 195, entitling the Band to 24,960 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserves in Saskatchewan	24,230 acres
Reserve #65A Dawson Bay Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-1216 dated July 11/95.	5.6 acs.
Addition to Reserve #65A Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1752 dated August 5/30.	832.0 acs.
Reserve #65B Dawson Bay Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-2208 dated July 25/95.	2,272.0 acs.
Reserve #65C Swan Lake Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-1493 dated July 13/95.	1,939.2 acs.
Reserve #65D Dog Island Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-2863 dated September 30/95.	275.2 acs.
Reserve #65E Dawson Bay Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-1216 dated July 11/95.	53.4 acs.
Reserve #65F Dawson Bay	109.0 acs.
TOTAL:	29,806.4 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

24,960 - 29,806 = Nil.

4) REMARKS

Reserve #65E was exchanged for an addition of 131 acres to Reserve #65A by OC/PC 1930-1366 dated June 14, 1930.

This Band was formerly known as The Key Band. Most of the Reserve lands were selected in Saskatchewan.

This Band has subsequently divided into the Shoal Lake and Indian Birch Bands.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

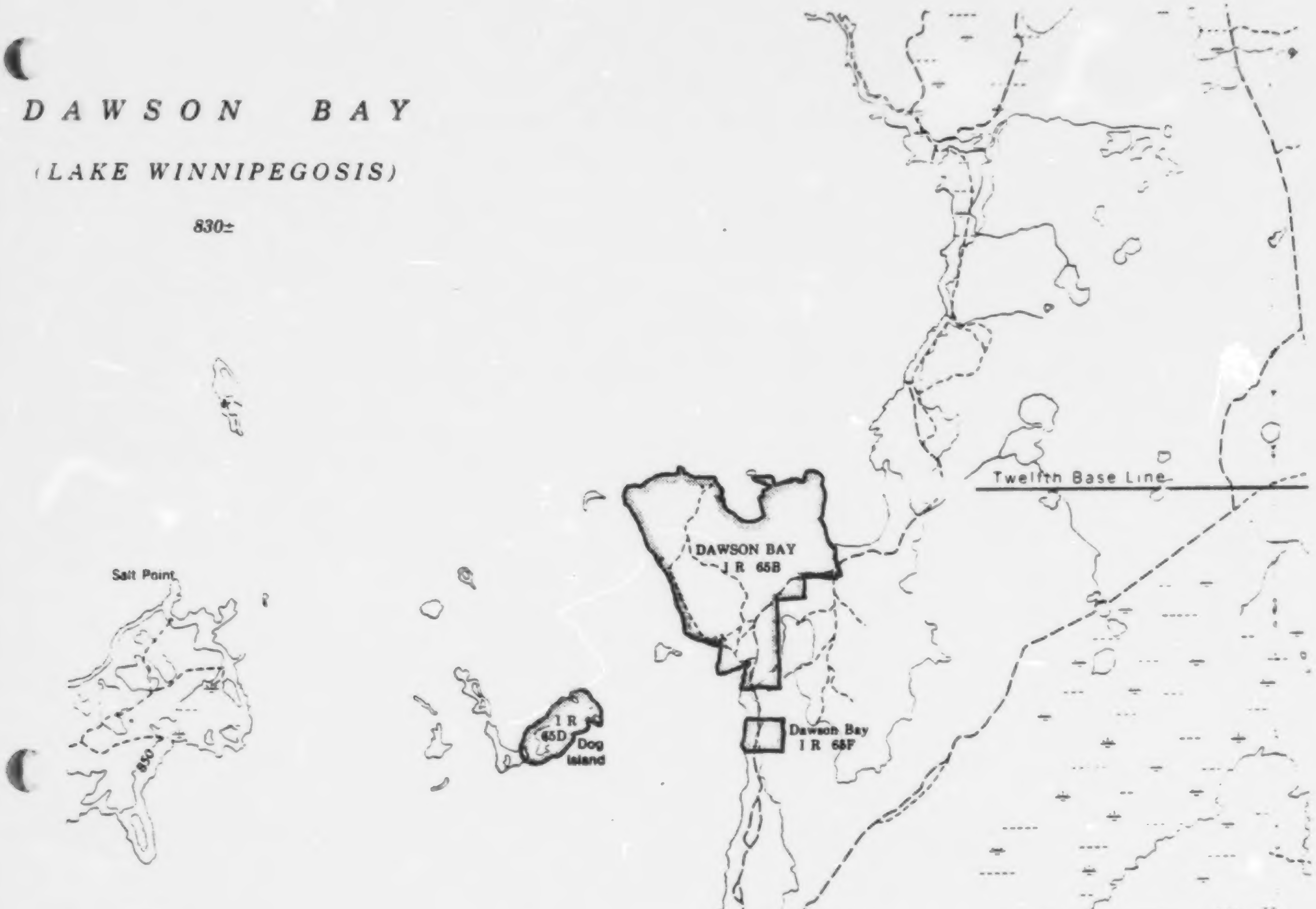
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

SHOAL RIVER INDIAN RESERVES #65A, B, F DAWSON BAY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SIOUX VALLEY

RESERVE: #58 Sioux Valley
CHIEF: Robert Bone
POPULATION: 1,298 Total
ON-RESERVE: 812
OFF-RESERVE: 486
RESERVE AREA: 9,695 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Sioux Band migrated to Manitoba in the late 19th century from the United States and as such has no aboriginal rights and did not sign any treaty.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #58 Oak River............................9,094 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1916-3136 dated December 29/16.

Addition to #58 .... 601 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1973-29 dated January 9/73.

TOTAL: 9,695 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

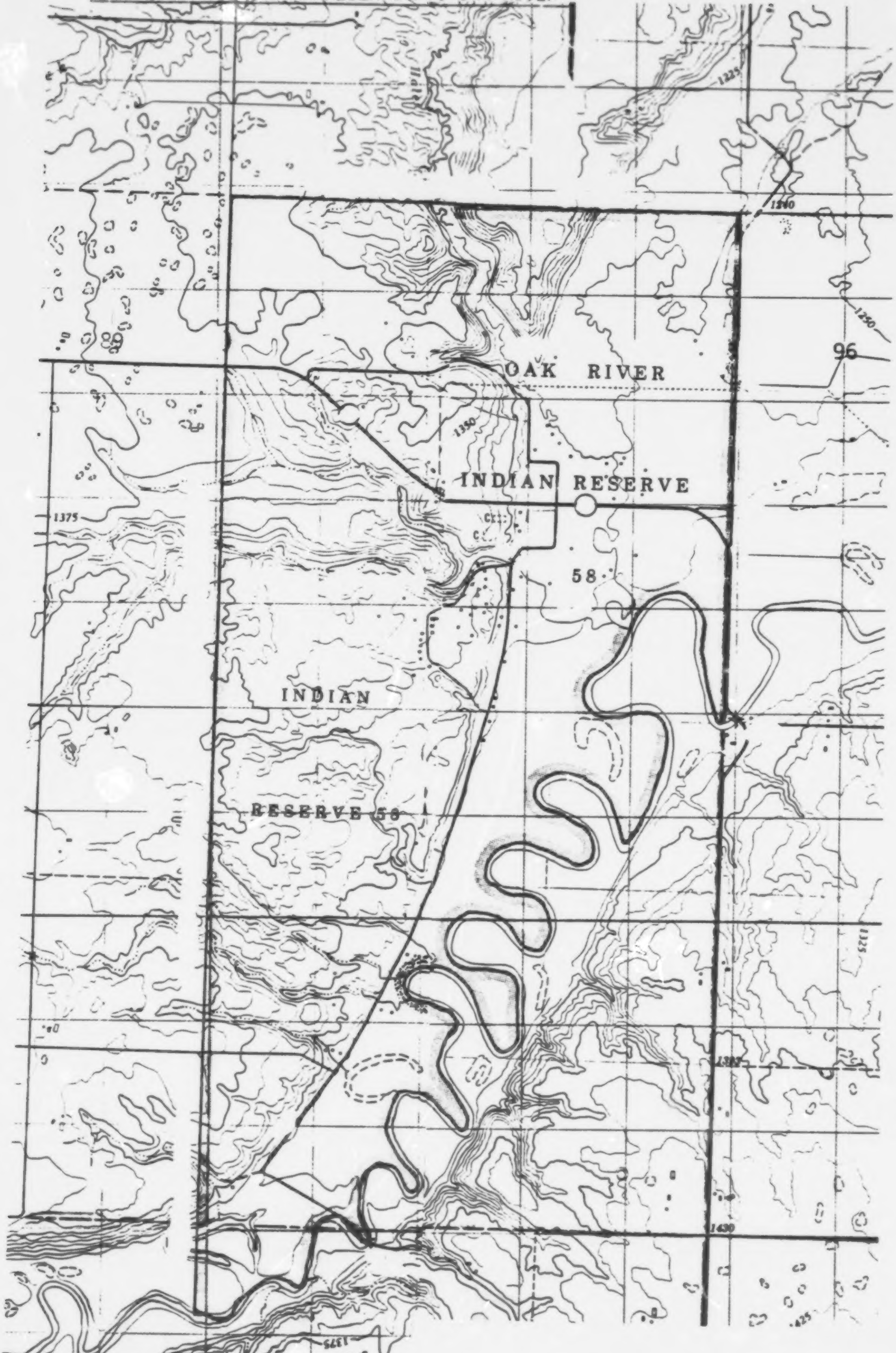
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

SIOUX VALLEY INDIAN RESERVE 58 OAK RIVER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SPLIT LAKE

RESERVE:	#171, A, B Split Lake
CHIEF:	Larry Beardy
POPULATION:	1,474 Total
ON-RESERVE:	1,163
OFF-RESERVE:	310
RESERVE AREA:	11,333 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

FLOODING CLAIMS: The Split Lake Band is a signatory to the Northern Flood Agreement and is entitled to a 6,231 acres of additional Reserve lands as compensation for the effects of the Lake Winnipeg Regulation and Churchill River Diversion Projects on Reserve land.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #5 entitling it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1913 the Band population was 326, entitling the Band to 10,432 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #171 Split Lake ....3,608 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1923-2119 dated October 19/23.

Reserve #171A Split Lake..........................7,390 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1923-2119 dated October 19/23.

Reserve #171B Split Lake ....335 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1958-1062 dated July 31/59.

TOTAL: 11,333 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

10,432 - 11,333 = Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

This Band is entitled to compensation for flooding under the terms of the Northern Flood Agreement. Final severance line reports indicate

Hydro development. At a rate of compensation of 4:1, including mines and minerals, this Band is entitled to a further 6,231 acres of Reserve lands. The Band has selected 24 parcels totally 6,570 acres under Article 3 and one hold area of 1,280,000 acres under Article 4. These selections are under review.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

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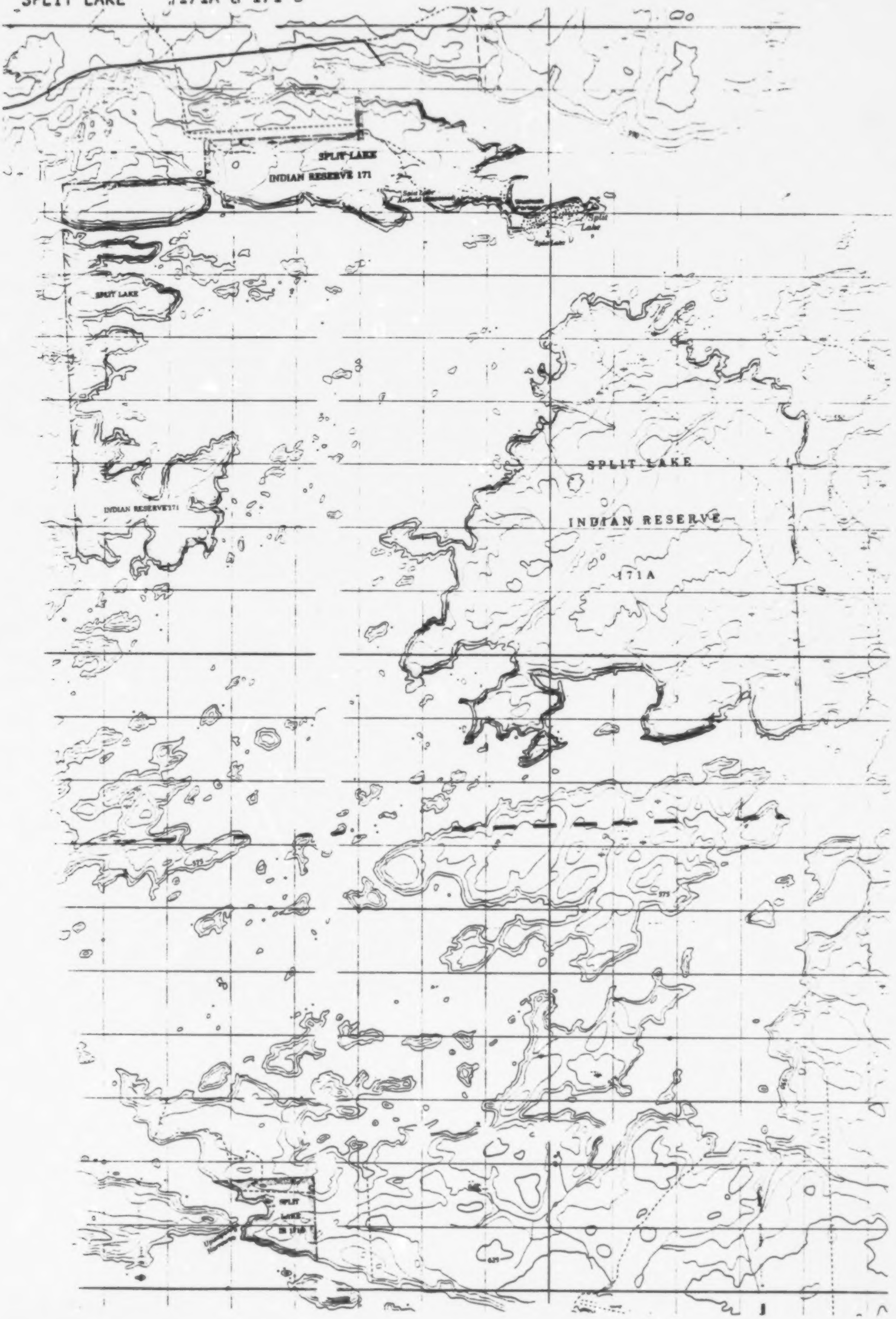
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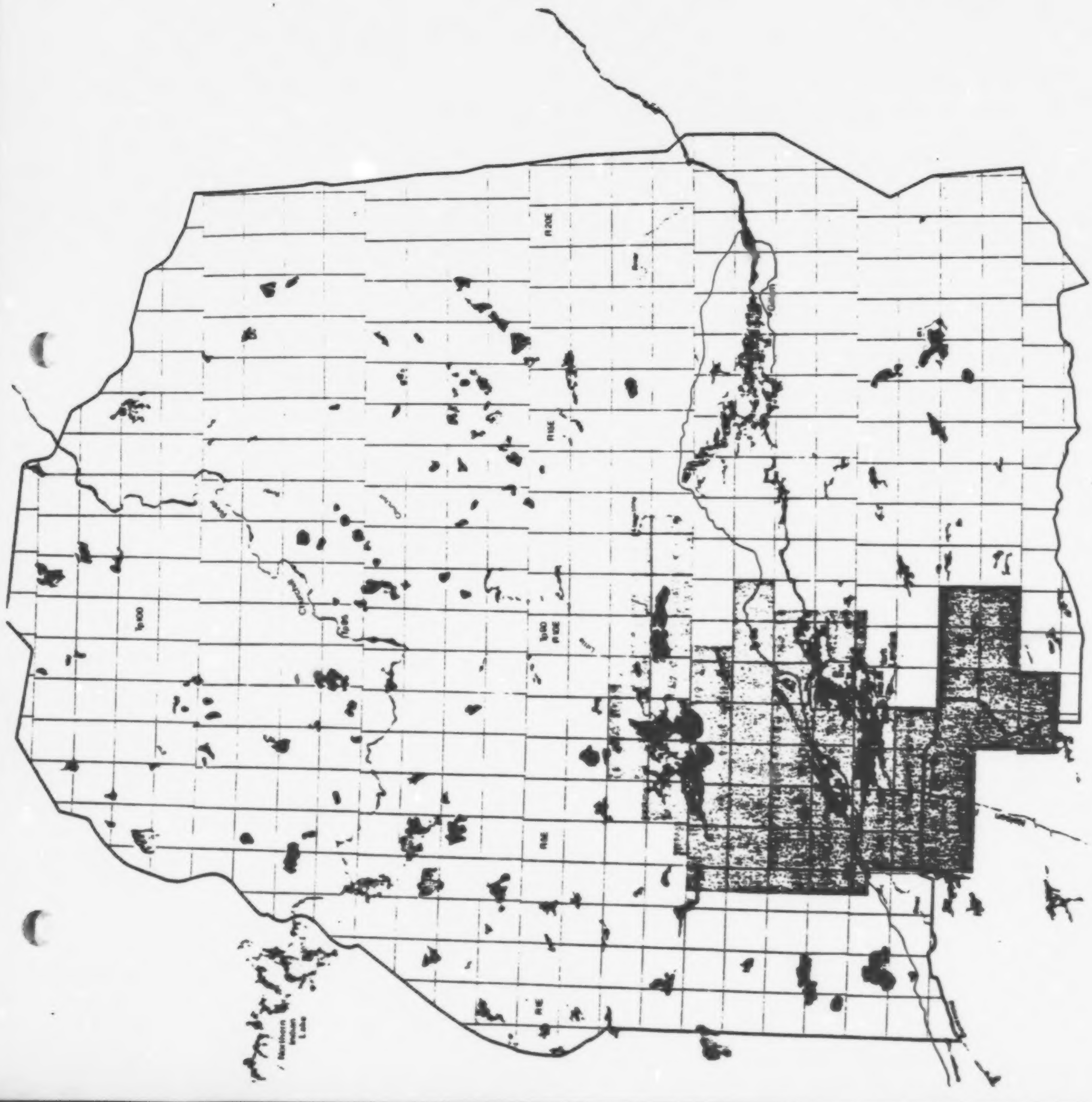
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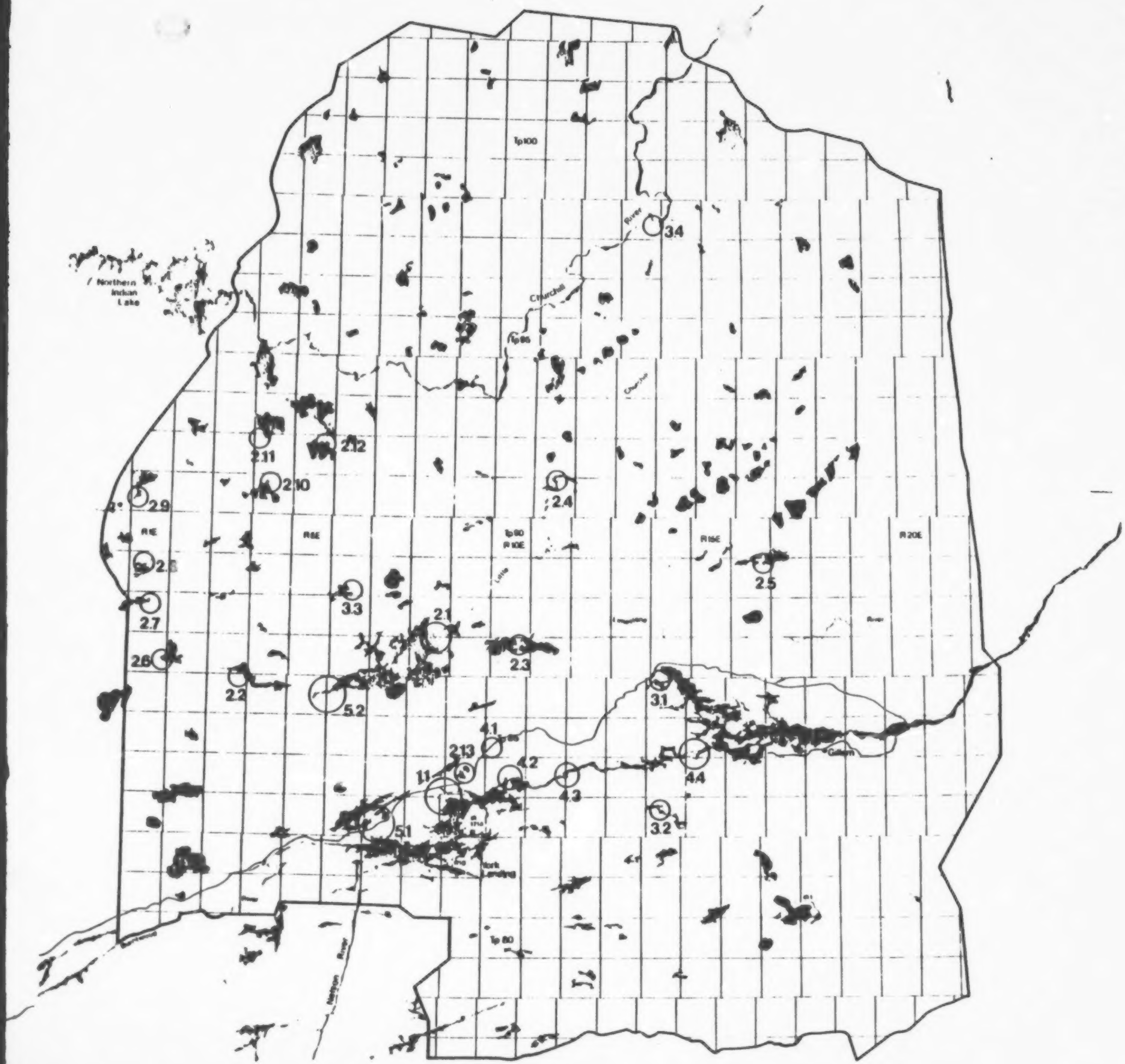
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STE. THERESA POINT

RESERVE:	#22 Ste. Theresa Point
CHIEF:	Ken Wood
POPULATION:	1,744 Total
ON-RESERVE:	1,577
OFF-RESERVE:	167
RESERVE AREA:	14,806 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band was part of the Island Lake Band until 1969. For treaty entitlement purposes the Garden Hill, Red Sucker Lake, Ste. Theresa Point and Wasagamack Bands can be considered as the one Island Lake Band.

The Island Lake Band had an outstanding treaty entitlement of 2,939 acres. The four present day Bands agreed that the Red Sucker Lake Band could select 255 acres of this outstanding entitlement to provide a Reserve at Red Sucker Lake. This leaves the four Bands with a shared outstanding entitlement of 2,684 acres. (See: Garden Hill, Page 70).

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #22 Island Lake ....14,806 acres
NOW Ste. Theresa Point and Wasagamack.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

Part of 2,684 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

No further land selection to date.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

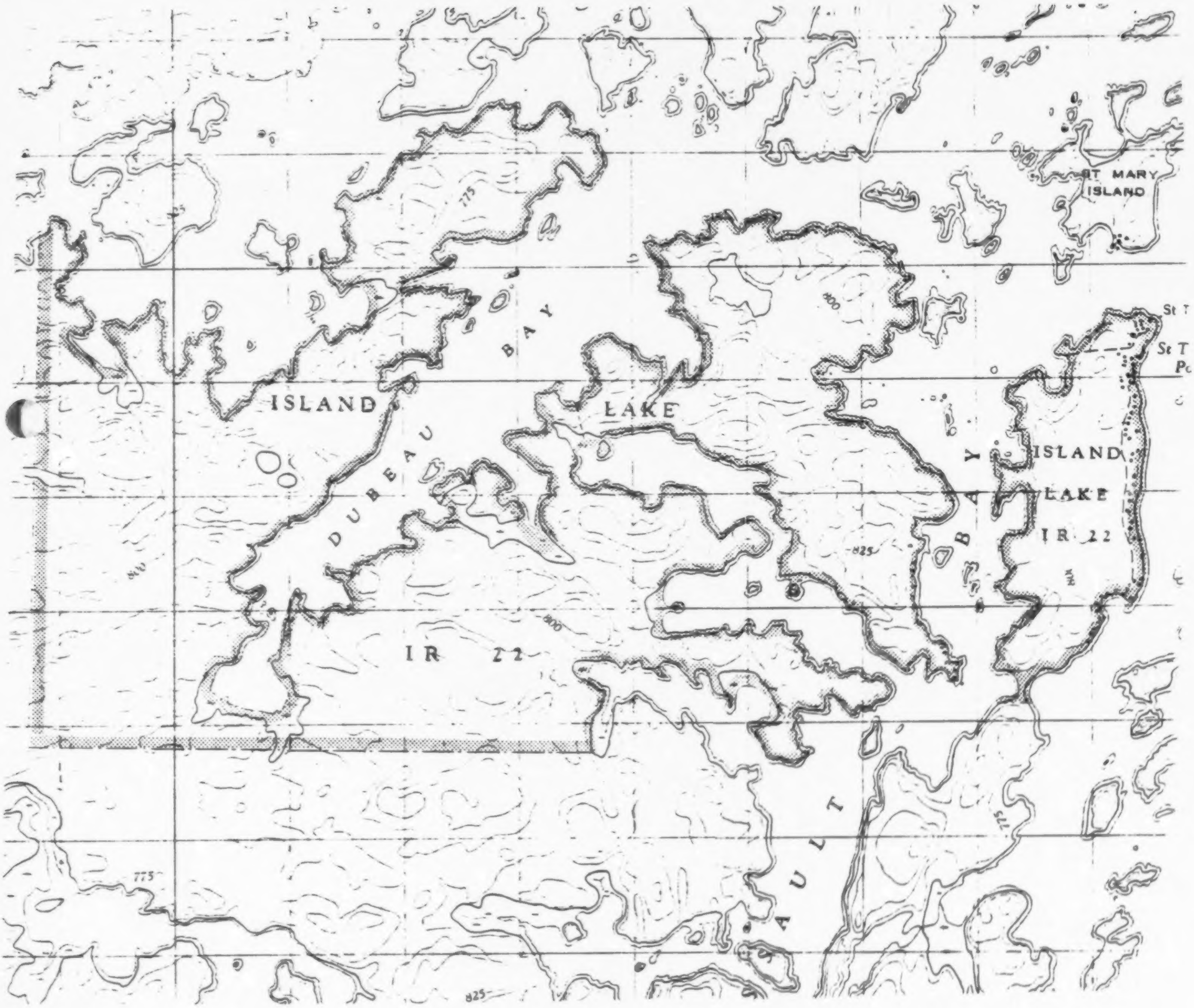
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

ST. THERESA POINT INDIAN RESERVE #22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SWAN LAKE

RESERVE:	#7 Swan Lake #8 Indian Gardens
CHIEF:	Roy McKinney
POPULATION:	711 Total
ON-RESERVE:	273
OFF-RESERVE:	438
RESERVE AREA:	7,057 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #1 as part of the Old Portage Band. As a signatory to the Treaty, the Band was entitled to 160 acres per family of five. The Treaty also made special provision for an additional area of 25 square miles (16,000 acres) for this Band. At the time of the first survey of the Reserves in 1876 the Portage Band had split into three separate Bands: the Long Plains, Sandy Bay and Swan Lake Bands. It was decided that the total treaty entitlement for the Portage Band should be apportioned to the three separate Bands according to their population. At that date the Swan Lake Band totalled 190 members (plus absentees) entitling it to 6,432 acres plus 32.4% of the former Portage Band membership. The Band's total entitlement then: 6,432 (32.4% of 16,000) 11,616 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #7 Swan Lake	9,760 acres
Reserve #8 Indian Gardens	640 acres
BOTH confirmed by OC/PC 1913-2876 dated November 21/13.	10,400 acres

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

11,616 - 10,400 = 1,211 acres

4) REMARKS

The three Bands who comprised the original Portage Band collectively received acreage exceeding their total treaty entitlement, including the special provision for an additional 25 square miles. However, this total acreage was divided unevenly, leaving the Long Plains and Swan Lake Bands with outstanding entitlement and the Sandy Lake Band with an excess of 5,000 acres more than its share.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band has not made any request for additional treaty lands.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

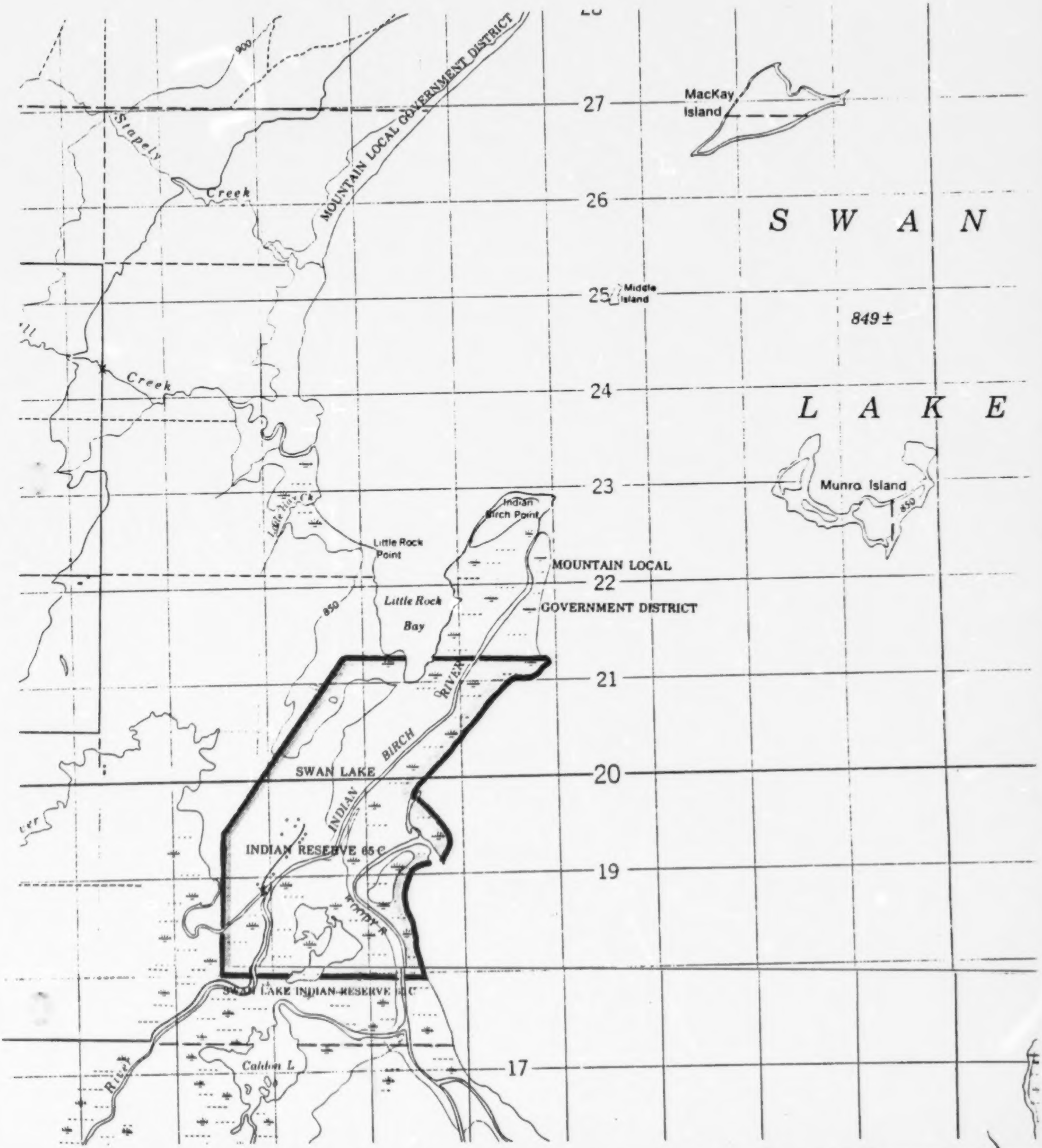
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

SWAN LAKE INDIAN RESERVE 65C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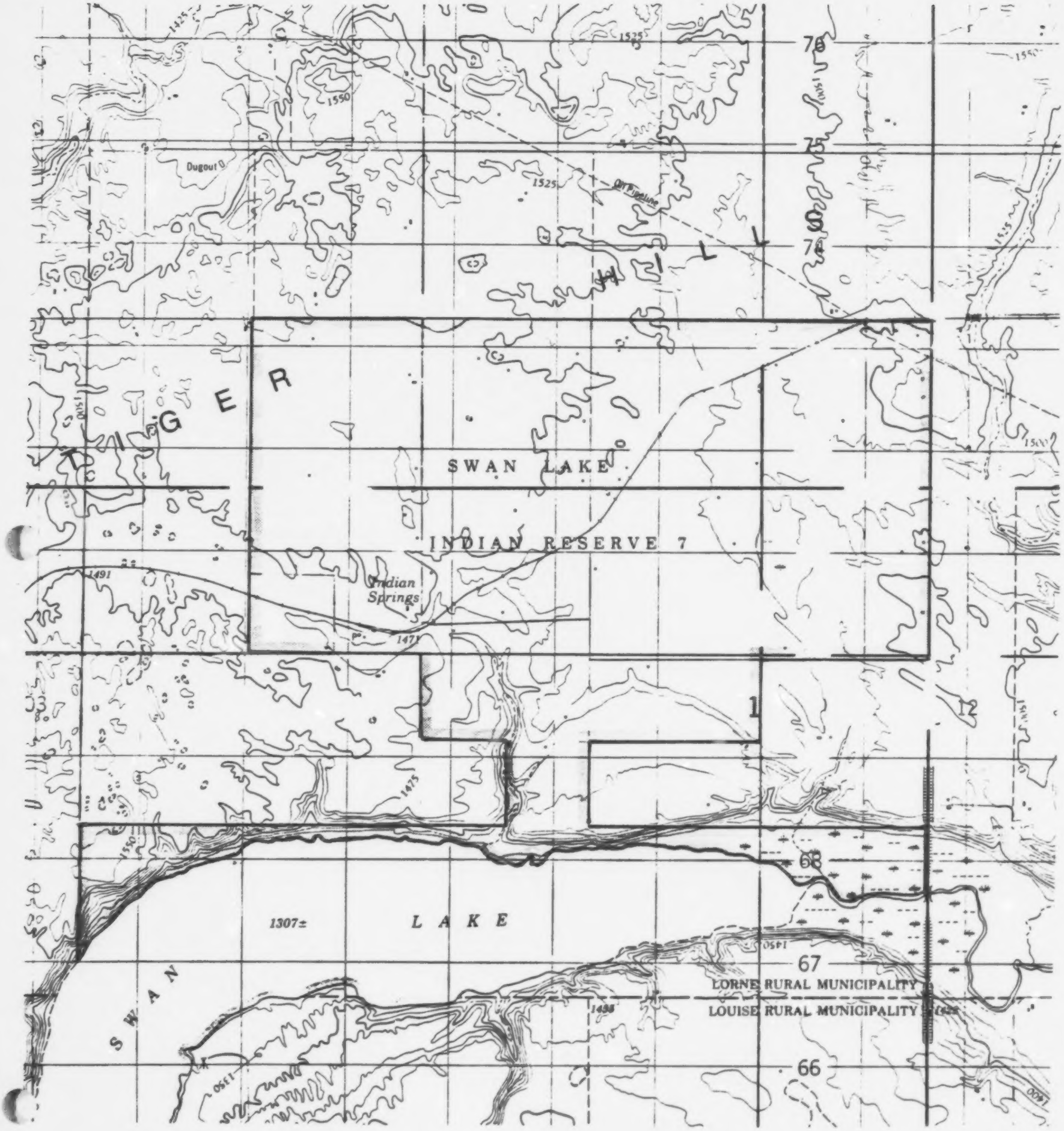
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THE PAS

RESERVE:	#21 A-G, I, J, K, N, #21-Stony Point, #21D Salt Channel, #21L-Rocky Lake, #23I-Root Lake, #27A-Carrot River
CHIEF:	Oscar Lathlin
POPULATION:	1,772 Total
ON-RESERVE:	1,408
OFF-RESERVE:	362
RESERVE AREA:	14,688 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

The Province and the Band are undertaking a review of all outstanding land issues at The Pas with recent emphasis being given to a review of the Psquia Reclamation Project land exchange.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band signed Treaty #5 which entitles it to 160 acres per of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1883, the Band's population was 511. This entitled the Band to 16,352 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

For the purposes of calculating the Band's treaty allotment, the following Reserves were set aside:

Reserve #21 Stony Point ....38.10 acres
Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-3027 dated October 18/95.

Reserve #21A The Pas..............................1,590.00 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1003 dated May 13/30.

Reserve #21B The Pas .... 160.00 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1026 dated May 15/30.

Reserve #21C The Pas .... 41.50 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1087 dated May 23/30.

Reserve #21D The Pas .... 177.00 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1005 dated May 13/30.

Reserve #21E The Pas ....4,602.00 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1753 dated August 5/30.

Reserve #21F The Pas .... 369.10 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-154 dated January 23/30.

Reserve #21G The Pas .... 10.00 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-202 dated January 29/30.

Reserve #21H The Pas	280.00 acs.
Reserve #21I The Pas	538.00 acs.
Reserve #21J The Pas	125.00 acs.
Reserve #21K The Pas	330.00 acs.
ALL confirmed by OC/PC 1895-3027 dated October 18/95.	
Reserve #21L Rocky Lake	324.00 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-1985 dated May 23/30.	
Reserve #21D Salt Channel	440.00 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-3027 dated October 18/95.	
Reserve #21M Bignell	320.00 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1930-427 dated February 25/30.	
Reserve #27A Carrot River	3,062.25 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1895-3027 dated October 18/95.	
TOTAL:	13,989.63 acs.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

Band's claim is under review.

4) REMARKS

RESERVE #21D: As part of the Pasquia Dyke land exchange 9.08 acres was returned to Reserve status by OC/PC 1980-628 dated March 12, 1980. The Plan of #21C nd #21D was modified to reflect Band concerns.

RESERVE #21N: 283.0 acres confirmed by OC/PC 1926-635 dated April 30, 1926 was in exchange of #21H.

RESERVE #21P: 38.55 acres confirmed by OC/PC 1945-4753 dated July 6, 1945 was purchased by the Band from the Reserve account of The Pas Band for garden and hayland purposes.

RESERVE #23I: 60.00 acres (Root Lake) confirmed by OC/PC 1969-168 dated January 28, 1969 in exchange for part #21A nd #21E (not complete).

RESERVE #27: Birch River (5,373.7 acres) was never confirmed but was surrendered by OC/PC 1918-1900 dated August 15, 1918 in exchange for Reserve #21L Rocky Lake, #21M Bignell, and #27A Carrot River.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band has requested fulfilment of its treaty entitlement and has indicated areas of interest at Landry Lake and east of Big Eddy.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

Reserve #21M Bignell was flooded by the Grand Rapids Forebay. An Agreement was signed in 1963 providing for a land exchange on a 2:1 basis. The entire Reserve #21M (320 acres) was surrendered in exchange for 649 acres adjacent to Reserve #21E. Provincial OC #1338/76 dated December 15, 1976 authorized the transfer of the lands required for the new Reserve to Canada. The transfer was completed in February, 1977 and the lands confirmed as an addition to Reserve #21E by OC/PC 1977-2881 dated October 13, 1977. The addition of certain road allowances to The Pas Reserve #21E by OC/PC 1979-563 dated March 1, 1979 concludes the land exchange commitment between The Pas Band and Manitoba arising out of the Grand Rapids Forebay Agreement.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

The Band has unofficially indicated that it may wish to exchange Reserve #21D Salt Channel for other lands closer to the main settlement. No official request has been made to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

A. PASQUIA DYKE

The Pasquia Dyke Exchange has been completed as evidenced by OC/PC #246 dated February 25 /87. Lands Branch has also paid the outstanding taxes on the transferred lands. The claim is complete.

B. ROADS

RESERVES #21A and #21E

A reconstructed portion of PTH #10 to Umperville t #21A and #21E will be transferred to Manitoba in exchange for 60 acres transferred to Canada at Root Lake. A portion of the Umperville Road is included in MTS's tower site lease on The Pas Reserve #21E. MTS has relinquished its lease on that portion of the road contained in Plan #4834 NLTO. Canada is to issue a Privy Council Order authorizing the transfer of lands to Manitoba.

RESERVE #21B

In order to obtain title to PR #285 through the Reserve, Manitoba has proposed that Canada retain title to the borrow pits. In return Manitoba would not alter the acreage calculation of the Stony Point land exchange. Canada would retain administration and control of an additional 7.11 acres in return for waiving the 1964 borrow pit back-filling condition.

By BCR dated January 29, 1979 the Band requested the return of 1.54 acres of closed road (Plan #2750) on Reserve #21B, which had been transferred to Manitoba in 1933 by Canada. This closed road is adjacent to the Saskatchewan River.

By BCR dated April 25, 1979 the Band confirmed its resolution of February 18, 1975 agreeing to the transfer of land at Reserve #21B required for a diversion at the northwest corner of the Reserve (0.69 acres) in exchange for a closed road allowance. In order to effect the exchange, a Ministerial Order is needed to close the required portion of Plan #2750 so that it may be dealt with under the Crown Lands Act. Also, an official plan of the road diversion is required.

RESERVES #21I and #21N

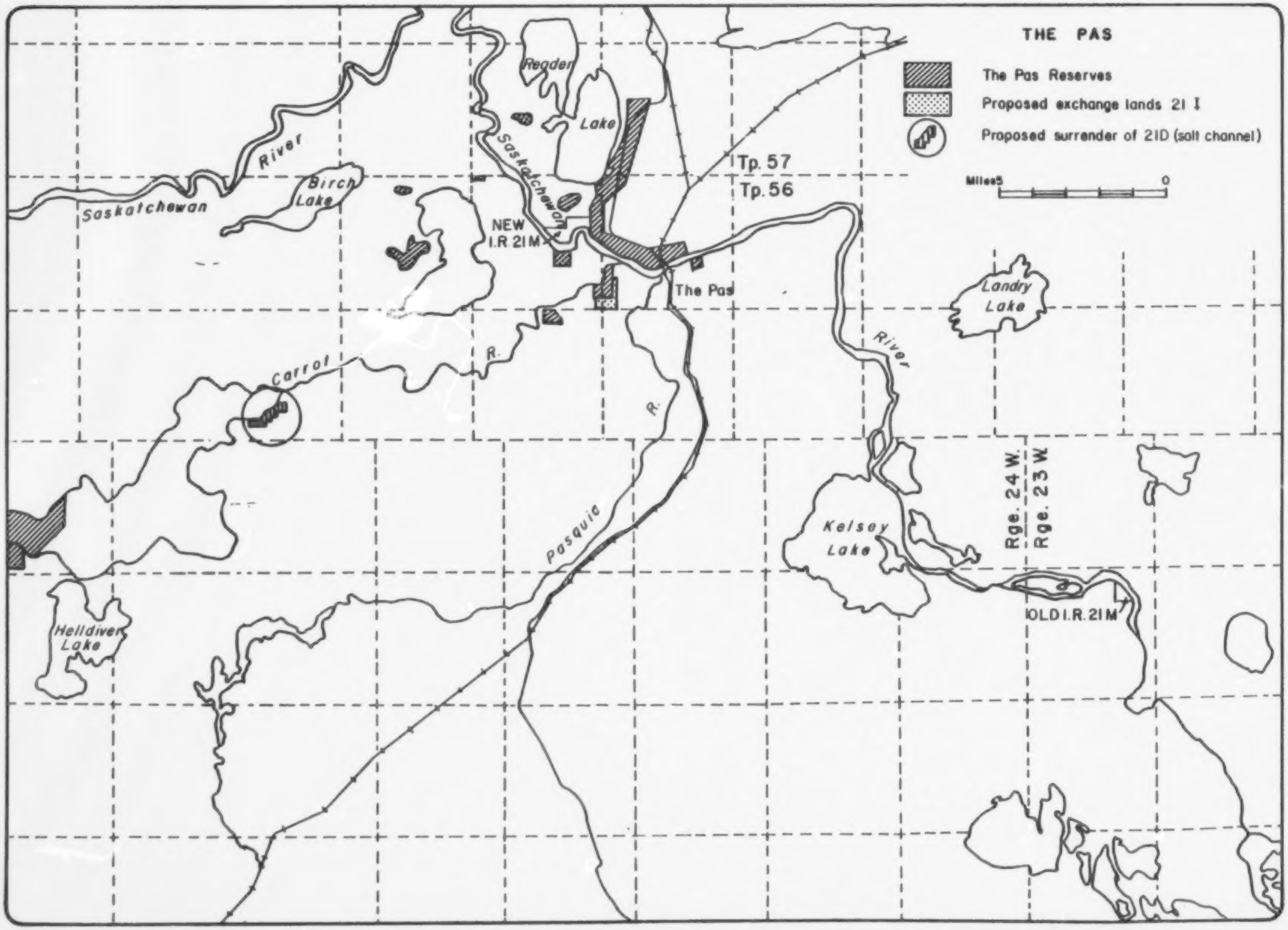
The Province agreed to pay a cash compensation of $100.00 per acre for 4.53 acres of PR #283 crossing Reserves #21I and #21N. The Plans for PR #283 through these Reserves have been approved by the Surveyor General.

RESERVE #21E

The bridge approach exchange at PTH #10 and the transfer of frontage required by Highways at Otineka Mall have been completed.

RESERVE #21D

In January, 1979 the Band indicated that there may be encroachment of PR #283 onto southern end of Rserve #21D. Survey plans and maps were to be reviewed.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Reader Lake
Saskatchewan River
Saskatchewan
Birch Lake
NEW I.R. 21M
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Landry Lake
River
Carrot R.
R.
Pasquia
Kelsey Lake
OLD I.R. 21M
Helldiver Lake

VALLEY RIVER

RESERVE: #63A Valley River
CHIEF: Clifford Lynxleg
POPULATION: 599 total
ON-RESERVE: 264
OFF-RESERVE: 335
RESERVE AREA: 11,535 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #4 as part of the Gambler's Band. At the time of the first survey of the Reserves, the Valley River and Waywayseecappo Bands were still part of the Gambler's Band, and therefore are calculated as one entity for treaty entitlement purposes. This Band has no outstanding treaty entitlement.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #63A Valley River............................ 11,680 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1896-3844 dated January 8/96.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

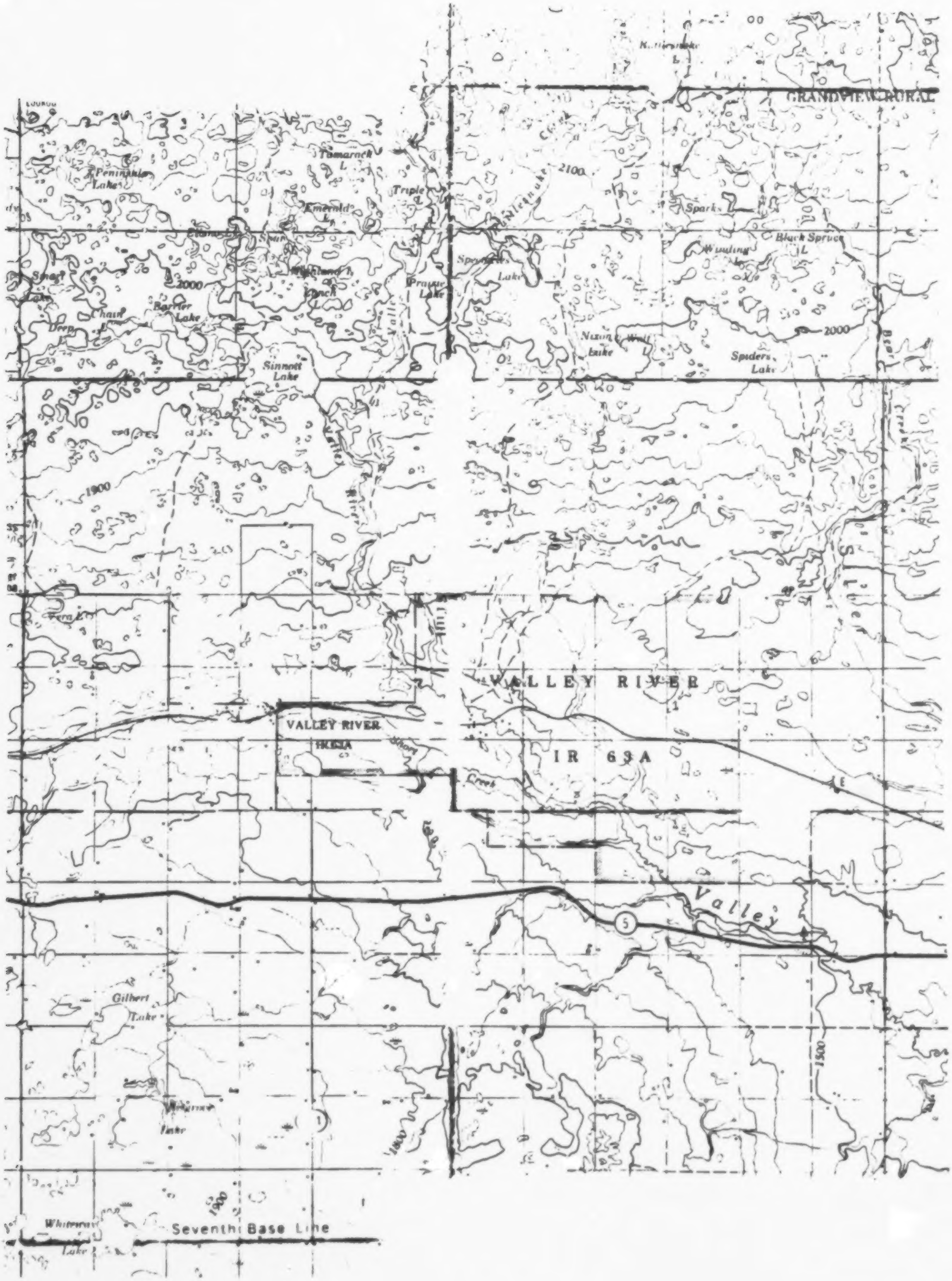
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

VALLEY RIVER INDIAN RESERVE #63A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Triple
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Sparks
Black Spruce L.
Prairie Lake
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Chain L.
Deep L.
2000
Sinnott Lake
Spiders Lake
1900
VALLEY RIVER
IR 63A
VALLEY RIVER
IR63A
Creek
Valley
5
Gilbert Lake
1500
1800
1900
Seventh Base Line
Whitemud Lake

WAR LAKE

RESERVE: None to date
CHIEF: Charlie Spence
POPULATION: 85 Total
ON-RESERVE: 6
OFF-RESERVE: 79
RESERVE AREA: Nil.

CURRENT ISSUES:

This Band evolved from a small group who broke away from the Split Lake Indian Band about 30 or 40 years ago and settled at Ilford. In 1979, the group was officially constituted as the War Lake Band by the Federal Government. As the Band had no land entitlement and lacked a Reserve, they are not eligible for federal funding such as that for housing and schools. The York Factory Indian Band, by BCR of January 7, 1983, requested that 200 acres of their 11,008 acres of outstanding treaty land entitlement be transferred to the War Lake Band for their use and benefit. A survey has been completed and the plan has been submitted to land titles for registration. Currently awaiting the registered plan, along with a BCR accepting the plan, to be forwarded to Canada.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

Nil.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

N/A

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

N/A.

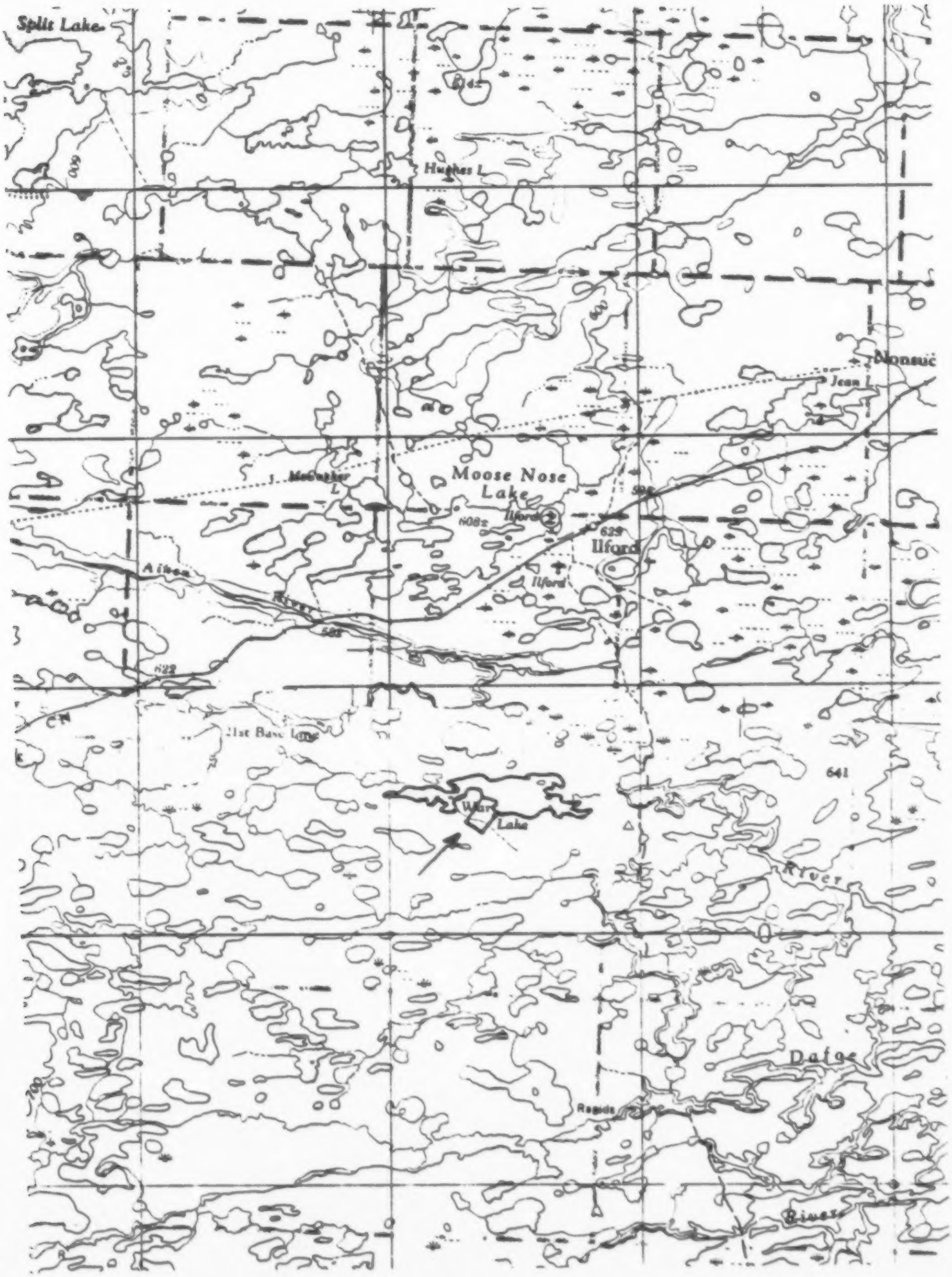
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

N/A.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

The Band will not accept Crown lands at War Lake as they wish to Locate in Gillam. Order-in-Council #143 transferring these lands to Canada is being rescinded.

WAR LAKE INDIAN RESERVE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Hughes L.
Nonsuch
Jean L.
McCusker L.
Moose Nose Lake
Ilford
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Ilford
608
629
Aiken River
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622
CN
1st Base Line
War Lake
641
River
Dafoe
Rapids
River

WASAGAMACK

RESERVE: #22 Wasagamack
CHIEF: Victor Harper
POPULATION: 788 Total
ON-RESERVE: 751
OFF-RESERVE: 37
RESERVE AREA: 14,806 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current requests or negotiations.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

This Band was part of the Island Lake Band until 1969. For treaty entitlement purposes the Garden Hill, Red Sucker Lake, Ste. Theresa Point and Wasagamack Bands can be considered as the one Island Lake Band.

The Island Lake Band had an outstanding treaty entitlement of 2,939 acres. The four present day bands agreed that the Red Sucker Lake Band could select 255 acres of this outstanding entitlement to provide a Reserve at Red Sucker Lake. This leaves the four Bands with a shared outstanding entitlement of 2,684 acres. (SEE: Garden Hill, Page 55).

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #22 Island Lake..........................14,806 acres
NOW Ste. Theresa Point and Wasagamack

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

Part of 2,684 acres

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

The Band has selected a 6-acre island immediately offshore the main reserve as treaty entitlement. Approval-in-Principle to transfer was requested of Cabinet; however, Northern Affairs has halted the process pending an internal comprehensive review of treaty entitlement.

III. AIRSTRIPS

There is an airstrip on Reserve lands occupying 120 acres. There is no room to upgrade the airstrip at the present site. Northern Affairs has not found a suitable alternative site to date. This airstrip is currently being used for emergencies and local traffic, with additional access from the Ste. Theresa Point airstrip.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

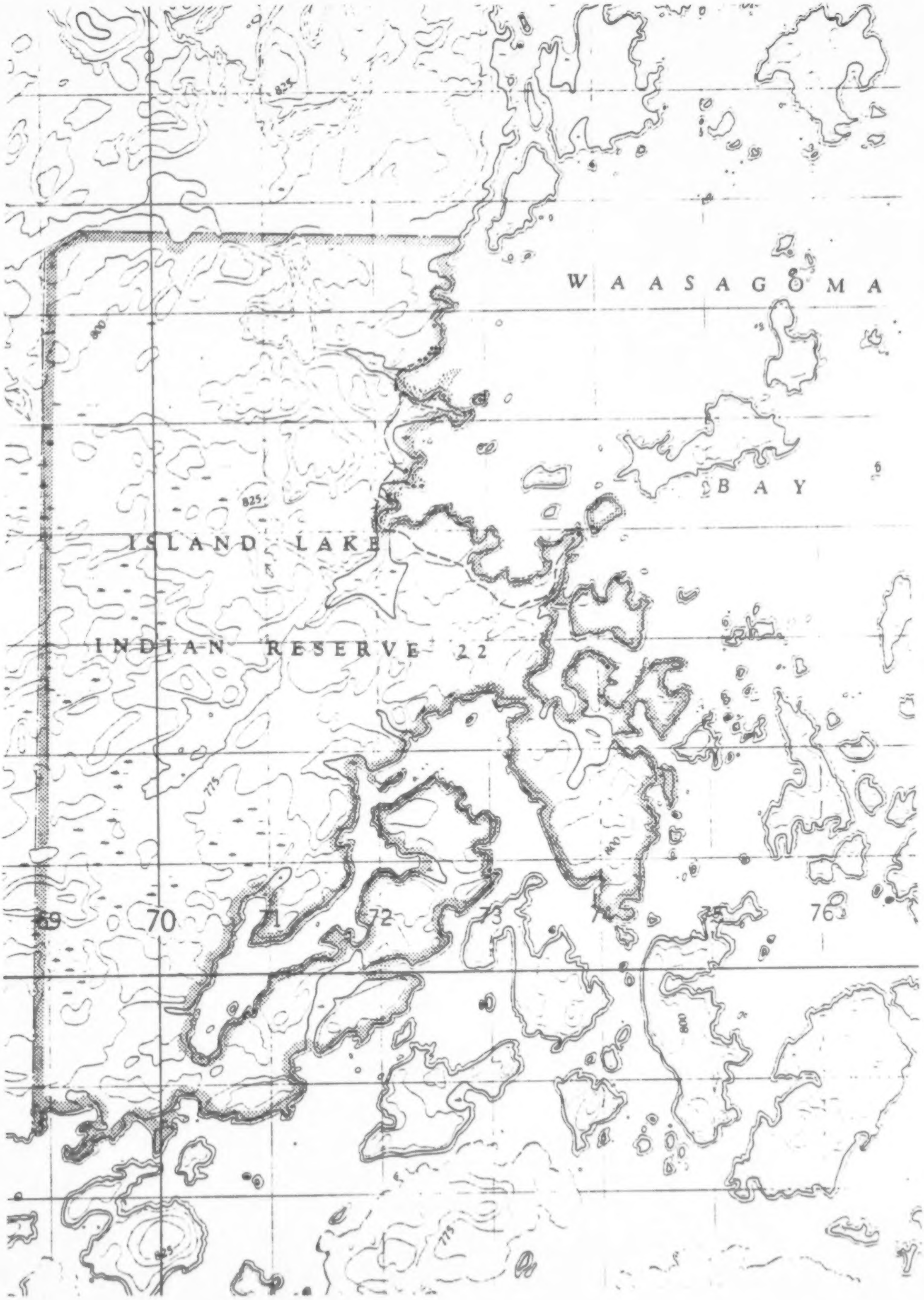
V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.

WASAGAMACK INDIAN RESERVE #22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ISLAND LAKE
INDIAN RESERVE 22
825
800
775
69
70
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72
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WATERHEN

RESERVE:	#45 Waterhen
CHIEF:	Harvey Nepinak
POPULATION:	570 Total
ON-RESERVE:	329
OFF-RESERVE:	241
RESERVE AREA:	4,588 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

Negotiations are taking place between the Band and the Province regarding compensation for land the Province requires for the Salt Point Road and the reconstruction of PR #276 through Reserve #45.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #2 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first survey of the Reserve in 1877 the Band population was 120. This entitled the Band to 3,840 acres.

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Reserve #45 Waterhen ....4,653.89 acs.
Confirmed by OC/PC 1918-2045 dated August 21/18.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

3,840 - 4,654 = Nil.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS

No requests or commitments to date.

IV. FLOODING CLAIMS

No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

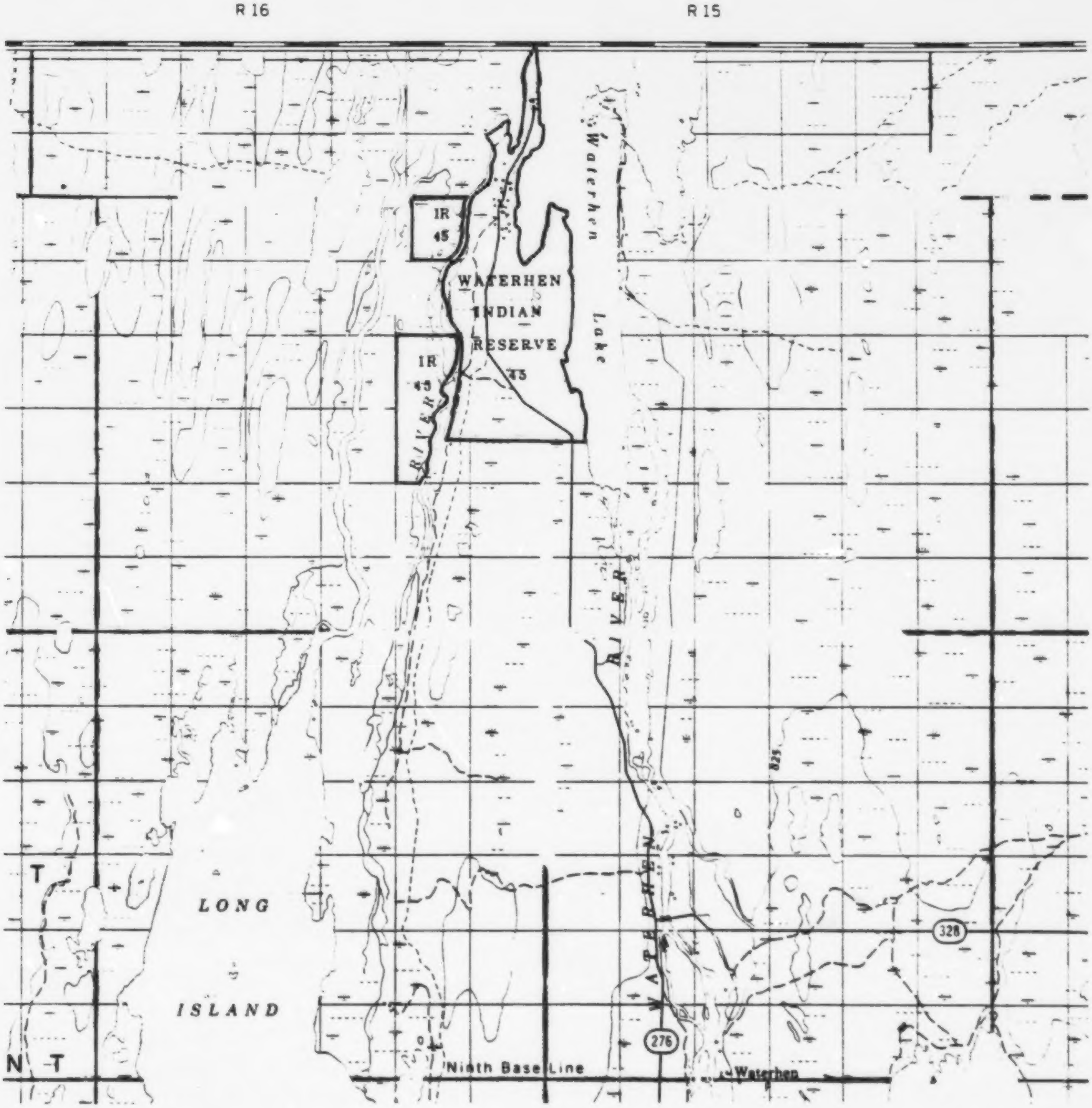
BCR dated August 3, 1957 confirmed the Band's consent with the Department of Indian Affairs and the Provincial Government to construct a road through the Reserve. 66.95 acres of land was taken from the Reserve for the PR #276 right-of-way.

The Department of Highways is rebuilding PR #276 through the Waterhen Reserve. The Band is asking for an exchange of Crown land of equivalent value in preference to a cash payment. Ottawa is supporting the Band to the extent that its useable Reserve acreage should not be depleted. The Band has indicated that the Reserve population is growing and it presently has only 2000 acres of useable land. The lands being taken by Highways represent some of the better lands on the Reserve.

Land Acquisition Branch has been negotiating on behalf of the Department of Highways and has finalized an agreement with the Band in the amount of $17,280.00 for lands taken for PR #276 widening and an amount of $4,031.00 for construction of the Salt Point Road. The Band will not give final approval to the agreement unless the Province agrees to transfer Crown land in exchange for Reserve lands. Highways will not proceed without title.

Manitoba has transferred 263.57 acres to Canada to replace those lands required for PR #276 and the Salt Point Road by Order-in-Council #6888 dated June 25/86. Surveys will be completed at the completion of construction to ensure compensation lands transferred fulfil Manitoba's obligation.

WATERHEN INDIAN RESERVE #45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WATERHEN INDIAN RESERVE 45
Waterhen
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ISLAND
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Ninth Base Line
Waterhen

WAYWAYSEECAPPO

RESERVES:	#62 Lizard Point
CHIEF	Leslie Longclaws
POPULATION:	1,089 Total
ON-RESERVE:	622
OFF-RESERVE:	467
RESERVE AREA:	25,672 acres

CURRENT ISSUES:

No current negotiations or requests.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed Treaty #4 as part of the Gamblers Band. At the time of the first survey of the Reserves, the Waywayseecappo and Valley River Bands were still part of the old Gamblers Band, and thus can be calculated as one entity for treaty entitlement purposes.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED Nil.

III. AIRSTRIPS:

No requests tor commitments to date.

VI. FLOODING CLAIMS

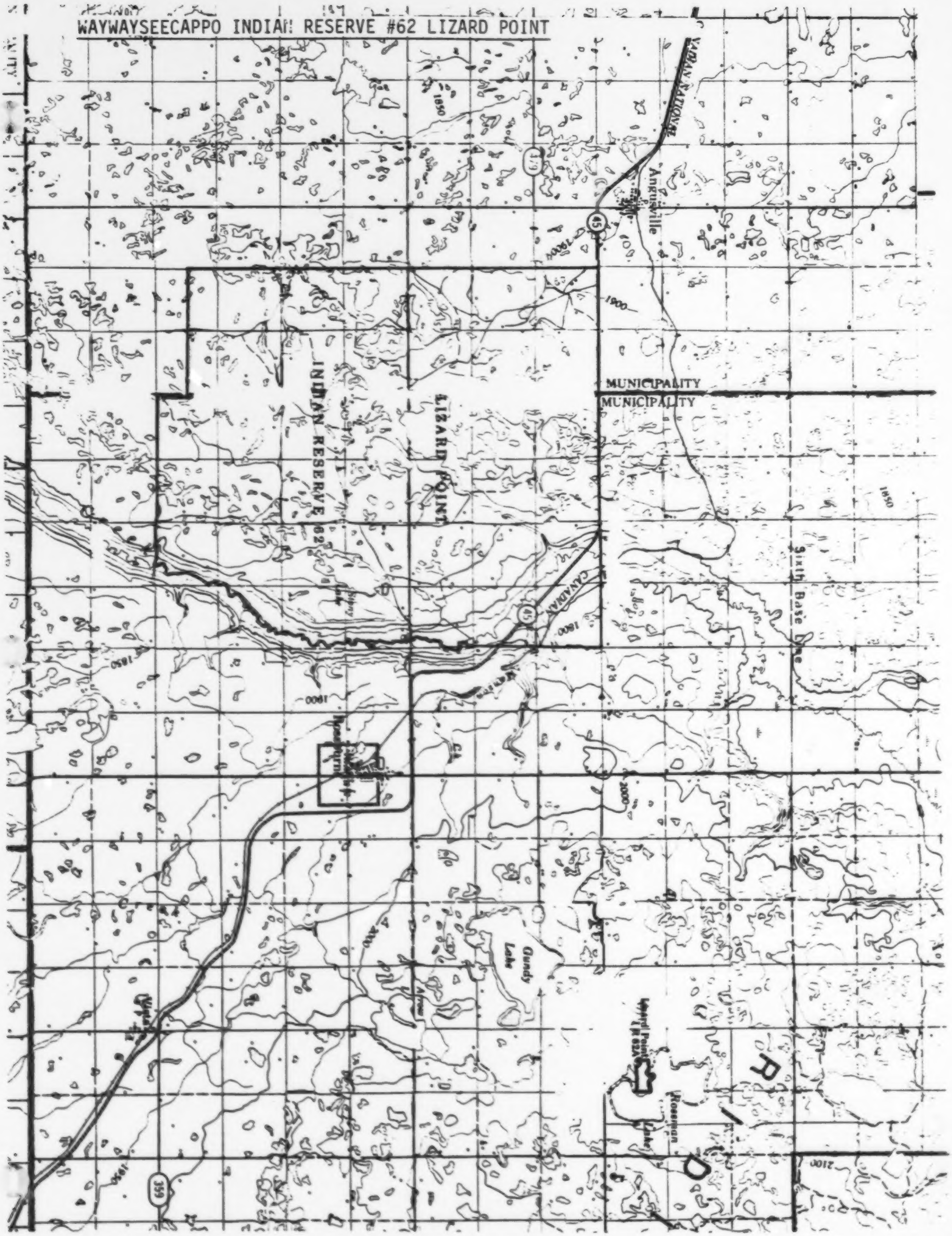
No claims to date.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.



WAYWAYSEECAPPO INDIAN RESERVE #62 LIZARD POINT

INDIAN RESERVE #62
LIZARD POINT
MUNICIPALITY
MUNICIPALITY
CANADIAN NATIONAL
CANADIAN
Angusville
Sixth Base Line
Gundy Lake
Roseman Lake
45
45
399
1850
1900
1900
1800
2000
2100

YORK FACTORY

RESERVES:	None to date.
CHIEF	Eric Saunders
POPULATION:	512 Total
ON-RESERVE:	9
OFF-RESERVE:	503
RESERVE AREA:	Nil.

CURRENT ISSUES:

TREATY: The Band has not had any Reserve lands confirmed by Canada to date. Order-in-Council #905 dated August 13, 1986 has transferred 2,390 acres at York Landing to Canada for the use and benefit of the Band.

I. TREATY

1) BAND'S ORIGINAL ENTITLEMENT

The Band signed the Adhesion to Treaty #5 which entitled it to 160 acres per family of five. At the time of the first request for a Reserve in 1970 the Band population was 344. This entitled the band to 11,008 acres

2) LANDS RECEIVED

Nil.

3) OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT

11,008 - Nil = 11,008 acres

4) REMARKS

For the purpose of the Northern Flood Agreement (Article 1.15) York Factory is defined as "Reserve" as the same is meant in the Indian Act. However, York Factory Band resides on Provincial Crown land and has no actual Reserve lands affected by the Lake Winnipeg Regulation and Churchill River Diversion Projects.

II. OUTSTANDING TREATY ENTITLEMENT: LAND SELECTED

PRESENT STATUS OF LAND SELECTION:

Total Treaty Entitlement	11,008 acres
Selected	13,599 acres

The Band has recently selected and requested ten sites as treaty land entitlement totalling 11,209 acres.

By BCR dated January 1, 1983 the Band requsted that part of its treaty land entitlement (200 acres at War Lake) be transferred to the newly constituted War Lake Band. (SEE: War Lake - page 184).

By BCR dated June 26/85 the Band requested an area of land consisting of 1,300,000 acres be set aside in and around Ten Shilling Creek and York Factory. The band advised that a land entitlement and land use study was being undertaken in the area. The Band's possible interest in lands within the study area has been noted by placement of a temporary reservation in the CLR concommitment with current dispositions for a period of one year.

III. AIRSTRIPS

By BCR dated in 1977 the Band agreed to the location of the airstrip and related facilities.

IV. FLOODING

This Band is a signatory of the Northern Flood Agreement, and is entitled to compensation for flooding at a rate of 4:1 including mines and minerals. The final severance report determined that 289 acres of land occupied by the Band were flooded which entitles it to select 1156 acres of new Reserve lands. No requests have been received to date.

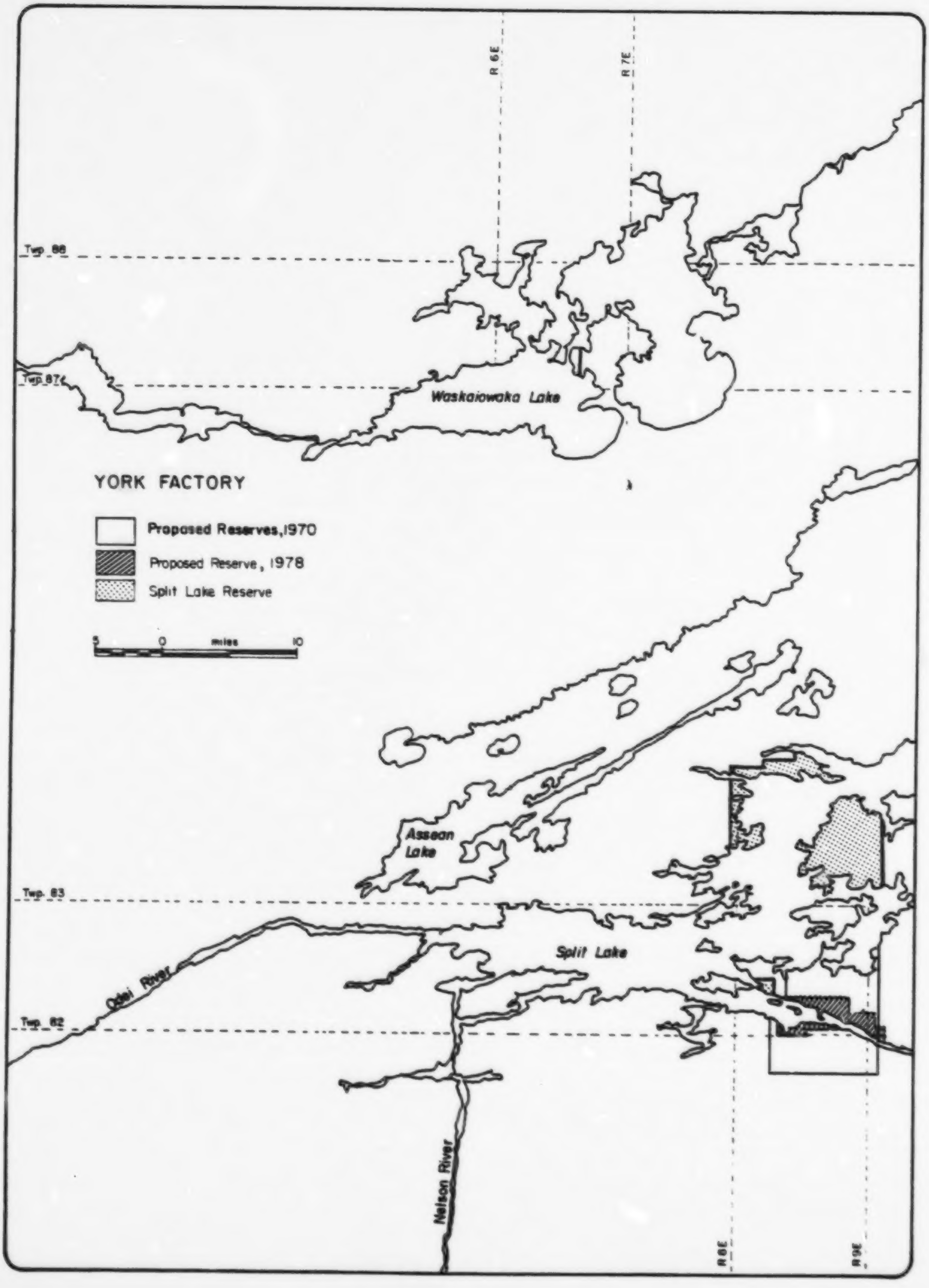
The Band has selected 7 sites comprising 1,474 acres of NFA Article 3 lands. Also, the band has requested a 2,500,000 acre Hold Area according to Article 4 of the NFA. Negotiations are proceeding,; however, there is some overlap on selections of the Shamattawa Band that require resolution by those two bands. 2,390 acres of treaty land entitlement at York Landing have been transferred to Canada by OC#905 dated August 13, 1986.

V. EXCHANGES INITIATED BY THE BAND

No requests to date.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

No other land problems to date.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Split Lake Reserve
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Assean Lake
Twp. 83
Split Lake
Odei River
Twp. 82
Nelson River
R8E
R9E

BAND CHIEFS

BARREN LANDS BAND Brochet, Manitoba ROB OBO	Phillip J. Michel	0-6020
BERENS RIVER BAND Berens River, Manitoba ROB OAO	Lester Everett	382-2161
BIRDTAIL SIOUX Box 75 Beulah, Manitoba ROM OBO	Nelson Bunn	568-4540
BLOODVEIN BAND Bloodvein, Manitoba ROC OJO	Frank Young	276-2148
BROKENHEAD BAND Scanterbury, Manitoba ROE 1WO	Jim Bear	766-2494
BUFFALO POINT BAND Box 14 Middlebro, Manitoba ROA 1BO	James Thunder	437-2133
CHEMAWAWIN BAND Easterville, Manitoba ROC OVO	Sam George	329-2161
CRANE RIVER BAND Crane River, MB. ROL 1MO	John H. McDonald	732-2490
CROSS LAKE BAND Cross Lake, Manitoba ROB OJO	Walter Monias	676-2218
DAKOTA PLAINS BAND Edwin, Manitoba ROH OGO	Ernie Smoke	252-2288
DAKOTA TIPI BAND Box 841 Portage la Prairie, MB. R1N 3C3	Dennis Pashe	857-4381
DAUPHIN RIVER BAND General Delivery Gypsumville, MB. ROC 1JO	Emery Stagg	659-5370

EBB & FLOW BAND Ebb & Flow, MB. ROL ORO	Alfred Beaulieu	448-2113
FAIRFORD BAND Fairford, MB. ROC 0X0	Edward Anderson	659-5705
FISHER RIVER BAND Koostatak, MB. ROC 1S0	Wesley Hart	645-2171
FORT ALEXANDER BAND Box 280 Pine Falls, MB. ROE 1M0	Kenneth Courchene	367-8583
FORT CHURCHILL BAND Tadoule Lake, MB ROB 2C0	Moses Powderhorn	0-6020
FOX LAKE BAND Box 369 Gillam, MB. ROB OLO	Robert Wavey	652-2219
GAMBLERS BAND Box 293 Binscarth, MB. ROB 0T0	J. J. Tanner	532-2464
GARDEN HILL BAND Island Lake, MB. ROB OTO	Percy Flett	456-2085
GODS LAKE BAND Gods Lake Narrows, MB. ROB OMO	David Nassie	335-2552
GODS RIVER BAND Gods River, MB. ROB ONO	Moses Okimaw	335-2011
GRAND RAPIDS BAND Grand Rapids, MB. ROC 1E0	Patsy Turner	639-2219
HOLLOW WATER BAND Wanipigow, MB. ROE 2E0	Roderick Bushie	363-7278
INDIAN BIRCH BAND Birch River, MB. ROL OEO	Charlie Audy	236-4201

JACKHEAD BAND Dallas, MB. ROC OSO	Bill Traverse	276-2366
KEESEEKOOWENIN BAND Box 157 Elphinstone, MB. ROJ ONO	Norman Bone	625-2004
LAKE MANITOBA BAND Vogar, MB. ROG 3CO	Raymond Swan	768-2546
LAKE ST. MARTIN BAND Gypsumville, MB. ROC 1JO	David Earle Traverse	367-2256
LITTLE BLACK RIVER BAND O'Hanley, MB. ROE 1KO	Henry Bird	367-2256
LITTLE GRAND RAPIDS BAND Little Grand Rapids, MB. ROB OVO	Emil Keeper	397-2264
LITTLE SASKATCHEWAN BAND Gypsumville, MB. ROC 1JO	Dennis Shorting	659-4584
LONG PLAIN BAND General Delivery Edwin, MB. ROH OGO	John Meechas	252-2731
MATHIAS COLOMB BAND Pukatawagan, MB. ROB 1GO	Frank Dumas	533-2090
MOOSE LAKE BAND Moose Lake, MB. ROB OYO	Jim Tobacco	678-2113
NELSON HOUSE BAND General Delivery Nelson House, MB. ROB 1AO	Rodney Lloyd Spence	484-2332
NORTHLANDS BAND Lac Brochet, MB. ROB OBO	Jerome Denechezhe	06020

NORWAY HOUSE BAND Box 218 Norway House, MB. ROB OBO	Alan James Ross	359-6721
OAK LAKE SIOUX Box 146 Pipestone, MB. ROM 1TO	Kenneth Eastman	854-2261
OXFORD HOUSE BAND Oxford House, MB. ROB 1CO	Eric Chub	538-2244
PEGUIS BAND Box 219 Hodgson, MB. ROC 1NO	Louis J. Stevenson	645-2359
PINE CREEK BAND Camperville, MB. RO1 OJO	Clifford McKay	524-2478
POPLAR RIVER BAND Negginan, MB. ROB OZO	Alex Hudson	244-9000
RED SUCKER LAKE BAND Red Sucker Lake, MB. ROB 1HO	Billy Harper	469-5394
ROLLING RIVER BAND Box 145 Erickson, MB. ROJ OPO	Dennis Whitebird	636-2211
ROSEAU RIVER BAND Box 30 Ginew, MB. ROE 2RO	Carl Roberts	427-2139
SANDY BAND BAND Marius, MB. ROH OTO	Harry Desjarlias	843-2462
SHAMATTAWA BAND Shamattawa, MB. ROB 1KO	Sam Miles	6020
SHOAL RIVER BAND Pelican Rapids, MB. ROL 1LO	Stanley Norman Gott	587-2012

SIOUX VALLEY BAND Griswold, MB. ROM 0S0	Robert Bone	855-2671
SPLIT LAKE BAND Split Lake, MB. ROB 1P0	Larry Beardy	342-2045
ST. THERESA POINT BAND St. Theresa Point, MB. ROB 1J0	Ken Wood	462-2106
SWAN LAKE BAND Swan Lake, MB. ROG 2S0	Roy McKinney	836-2106
THE PAS BAND Box 297 The Pas, MB. R9A 1K4	Oscar Lathlin	623-5483
VALLEY RIVER BAND Shortdale, MB. ROL 1W0	Clifford Lynxleg	543-2239
WAR LAKE BAND Ilford, MB. ROB 0S0	Charlie Spence	288-4315
WASAGAMACK BAND Wasagamack, MB. ROB 1Z0	Victor Harper	457-2060
WATERHEN BAND Skownan, MB. ROL 1Y0	Harvey Nepinak	628-3373
WAYWAYSEECAPPO BAND Box 340 Rossburn, MB. ROJ 1V0	Leslie Longclaws	859-2883
YORK FACTORY BAND York Landing, MB. ROB 1B0	Eric Saunders	342-9910

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